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## ROSS BOWLES IN BAD ACCIDENT

FORMER RIXON MAN ON HEARSE  
STRUCK BY FAST MOVING  
TRAIN.

## BODY SPILLED FROM HEARSE

Mr. Bowles Suffered Serious Injury  
and His Financial Loss is  
Considerable

The following from the Elkhart, Ind., Daily Review of Monday, Aug. 4, describes an accident there Sunday, Aug. 3, which nearly cost the life of Ross Bowles, formerly of Dixon, brother of the Misses Bowles of Madison avenue. Mr. Bowles suffered painful injuries and also considerable financial loss:

The Big Four's Middlebury St. crossing added another accident to its list Sunday when a northbound excursion train running 30 miles an hour struck and practically demolished a hearse, severely bruised Undertaker Walley and caused the death of Mr. Bowles black team of hearse horses. Although the funeral car was wrecked, the casket it contained, holding the body of August Weber, escaped damage and as soon as possible Mr. Walley summoned a reserve hearse and had the body transferred to it.

**Injuries of the Men.**  
Mr. Bowles' injuries are to his hip and pelvic bone, bruises and cuts on the head and lacerations on the right forearm.

One of the attending physicians stated there were no internal injuries and a complete recovery is anticipated although the patient may be bedfast several weeks because of his injuries. His sufferings are intense. Yesterday it was necessary to carry him in a blanket for when the ambulance men undertook to move him he cried out in agony.

**Property Loss at Least \$2500**  
The property loss will reach \$2500 as the hearse was valued at \$1600 and the horses from \$700 to \$1200.

## WOULD DIVORCE POET EARLE

Third Wife of Record Wooer Says  
She Has Started Suit.

London, Aug. 10.—Dora, of the laughing brown eyes, and unnumbered affinity of Ferdinand Pinney Earle, New York poet, artist and record wooer—described by him at the time of their marriage in June, 1911, as "the dearest, sweetest and loveliest of them all"—said that she is about to seek her freedom.

She said she actually has begun suit in New York for an absolute divorce, basing her action on evidence she says she has obtained of Earle's behavior on the continent since she parted from him in March.

## Liners to Drop Queenstown.

London, Aug. 12.—It was learned here that the Cunard company has now decided to drop Queenstown altogether as a port of call for the Atlantic mail service. Now the company contends that owing to the increasing size of the vessels it is a source of danger to them to enter Queenstown harbor.

## Killed His Friend for \$1,800.

Braymer, Mo., Aug. 12.—William J. Collins, twenty-two years old, confessed, according to statements by county officials, that he killed his friend, John P. Benson, formerly an attorney of Braymer, and burned the body in the Benson shanty on a claim near Clemens, Alberta, last May, after taking \$1,800 from the clothing.

## SHOOT PRESIDENT IN COFFIN

Hayti's Soldiers Cause Panic While  
Helping Bury Dead Chief.

New York, Aug. 12.—Instead of presenting arms when ordered to do so, the military escort to the body of Tancred Auguste, late president of Hayti, aimed their rifles at the casket and riddled it with bullets, according to Marfield Kemp of Lexington, Ind., a young engineer employed by the National railroad of Hayti, who arrived here from Port au Prince.

The shooting occurred in the Cathedral of St. Mary. Mr. Kemp said, at the conclusion of a funeral service of great solemnity.

This outrage was one of the many disorders occurring in Port au Prince on the day of the funeral. Mr. Kemp asserted.

W. B. Kennedy of Sterling was in Dixon today.

## BULLETIN

**JAPS HINT AT COOL RECEPTION**  
Tokio, Japan, Aug. 12.—Special.—The Japanese government intimated today to the Mexican government that it would not receive Gen. Felix Diaz as the special envoy to Japan to express the thanks of Mexico for the Jap participation in the Mexican centennial, but would receive him as a private citizen.

**CIRCUS TRAIN IN WRECK.**  
Omaha, Aug. 12.—Special.—Thirteen persons, all employees of Barnum & Bailey's circus, are in hospitals here as the result of a collision of their train with a Rock Island passenger today. Three of the circus people will die.

**NEGRO IS LYNCHED.**  
Laurens, S. C., Aug. 12.—Special.—Protesting his innocence to the last, Richard Puchett, a young negro living here, charged with the bestial attack on a white girl, was forcibly taken from the jail here today by an uncontrollable mob of citizens and lynched.

## AMBOY INSTRUCTOR RESIGNS POSITION

MISS ELIZABETH EDWARDS TO  
TAKE SPECIAL TRAINING  
AT STATE NORMAL.

Miss Elizabeth Edwards of the Amboy high schools has resigned her position in order that she may take special training at the state normal at Normal, this year, by which special work she will prepare herself for a better and more responsible position. Her resignation has been accepted with regret by the board, as the young lady was considered one of the most successful teachers on the faculty.

## MRS. M. BILLMIRE DIED EARLY TODAY

PROMINENT ASHTON LADY ANSWERED  
LAST CALL—FUNERAL THURSDAY.

Ashton, Aug. 12.—Special.—Mrs. M. M. Billmire one of Ashton's best loved ladies, passed away at her home here this morning after a long illness, in an effort to check which she was taken to the Rockford sanitarium a few weeks ago. The funeral services will be held at the Presbyterian church Thursday afternoon, Rev. Alexander English, of Iowa, former pastor here, returning for the service.

Mrs. Billmire, who was Miss Laura McCauley before her marriage, is survived by her husband and three children: Harry, Emma and Clinton; one grand child and two brothers, Charles McCauley of Rockford and Joe McCauley of Pine Creek. To the bereaved relatives the sympathy of many friends is extended.

## EXHIBITED IN CHICAGO

Chas. O. Engle has returned from Chicago where he had an exhibit at a national convention of window trimmers and sign painters. Mr. Engle expects to get big results from his visit to the city.

## UNDER ADVISEMENT.

Judge Scott has taken under advisement the petition of Harry Loptein, the grandson of the late John A. Lutz, that the recent order of the Lee county court refusing the will for probate be set aside. Arguments on the petition were made before the court yesterday, but Judge Scott withheld his findings until next Monday.

## REMODELS HOME

S. H. Wolf is having his home at 922 Third street remodeled, installing a new bath room, etc., and having the house repainted. The improvement will add to that corner.

## IS QUITE ILL.

The condition of Geo. Laing, who has been quite ill, is reported unchanged.

## LIGHTS TO BE IN BY LABOR DAY

C. B. YONTS PROMISES TO GET  
LIGHTS IN BY THEN IF  
POSSIBLE.

## STERLING MEN INSPECT LIGHTS

Mayors of Twin Cities and Aldermen  
Made Visit to Dixon Last  
Evening.

The ornamental lights in Dixon's business district will be installed and in operation by Labor day if the present plans of General Contract Agent Charles B. Yonts are consummated, for that gentleman has lost patience with the manufacturers of the steel poles and brackets needed for the work and has warned them that unless the material is shipped to Dixon within the week the order will be placed elsewhere.

Strikes at the plant of the electrical equipment factory, states Mr. Yonts, has delayed the arrival of the articles and while the flaming lights have been on hand for some time it has been impossible to extend the system. Mr. Yonts, however, has promised that if such a thing is possible the lights will be up and in operation by the day of the Elks' big clam bake.

**Like Dixon Lights.**  
Dixon's system of lighting has been inspected and greatly admired by the officials of many neighboring cities and as a result contracts have been closed in a number of towns, the most important of the new contracts being closed at Harvard, McHenry county, last night.

As a result of the recent visit to Dixon by the mayor and city council of that city of 3900 inhabitants, a contract was closed last night with the Illinois Utilities company for a system of lights similar to that in this city. The contract is for 115 lights in the residence district, 15 arcs in the business district and 42 ornamental light posts. The property owners are paying for the installation of the ornamental light posts, the city paying for the current and lamp renewals.

They have also signed a five year contract for 90 h. p. in motors to be installed for a pumping station.

## Sterling Visitors.

Dixon's system of lighting was inspected last evening by Mayor A. J. Platt of Sterling, Mayor Stanley of Rock Falls, the members of the councils of the two cities, L. C. Thorne and W. H. Jennings, president and secretary of the Commercial club and R. A. Kidder, chairman of the light committee of that organization. They were met here by Messrs. Pitcher, Bardwell and Yonts and were greatly impressed with the installation of both street and ornamental lights here and will favor a similar system in the Twin cities, endorsing such a plan at a noon meeting of the Commercial club there today, which meeting was attended by Mr. Yonts. Sterling is figuring on 14 blocks of ornamental lights on steel poles and also contemplates the erection of a big illuminated sign on the First avenue bridge, the sign to be 65x5 feet.

## Kirkland Coming.

The Sterling people will not be Dixon's only official visitors this week, however, as the mayor and council of Kirkland will be here to investigate the lighting system some evening during the week.

The company has also closed arrangements for the following motors to be used in pumping stations:

Sublette, 25 h. p.  
Hinkley, 55 h. p.  
Earlville, 80 h. p.

## MRS. WATSON RETURNS.

Mrs. F. A. Watson and Mrs. H. E. Paine returned to Chicago last evening. Mrs. Watson, who has been very ill, was accompanied by a trained nurse.

## VISITED CAMP

Dr. Isherwood of Chicago. Miss Beatrice Carlyle of Geneva and Mr. Thomas Richards of this city were visitors at the Seyfarth's camp Sunday. Dr. Isherwood and Miss Carlyle returned to their homes Monday morning.

## DIXON INSTRUCTORS FOR COMING YEAR

FACULTY OF SCHOOLS HAS BEEN  
COMPLETED AND LIST IS  
PUBLISHED.

## SCHOOL STARTS SEPTEMBER 1ST

Several New Names Appear in List  
of Teachers for Coming  
Year.

The faculty of the Dixon schools has been completed for the school year, which will commence Sept. 1, the following teachers having been engaged:

## High School.

Prin. C. H. Anderson, Mathematics.  
C. D. Booher, chemistry and physics.  
May Downing, Latin and English.  
Freyda Foerster, German.  
Gladys E. Gaylord, Mathematics.  
Leslie A. Homrich, Science and Com.

## High School Building Grades.

Prin. Mary A. Erwin, Arithmetic.  
Anna Wiggin, Grammar.  
Agnes Tague, Geography.  
Elma Erb, History.  
Margaret Clark, Grade IV.  
Florence Mulkins, Grade II.  
Bess D. Rowley, Grade I.

## E. C. Smith Building.

Prin. Mary L. Gantz, Grade VIII.  
Florence Mason, Grade VII.  
Olive Shanklin, Grade VI.  
Clara Hasselberg, Grade V.  
Lauretta Reynolds, Grade III.  
Carrie Slothower, Grade I.

## Woodworth Building.

Prin. Mary W. Reynolds, Grade I.  
Hazel Kenneth, Grade II.  
Anna Fogarty, Grade IV.

## Truman School.

Prin. Retta Slothower, Grade III.  
Bessie Pankhurst, Grade I.

## Special Teachers.

Hazel E. Todd, Drawing and Manual Training.  
Muriel Price Phelps, Music.  
W. H. Coppins, Writing.  
Supt. W. R. Snyder.

## STERLING MAN DRANK LYE

Sterling, Ill. Aug. 12.—Special to The Telegraph.—Commissioner H. Potas of this city drank lye by mistake yesterday and for awhile was in a very serious condition. His wife had put lye water in the coffee pot to cleanse it and Mr. Potas, ignorant of the presence of the poisonous fluid in the pot, drank in considerable quantity before he discovered his mistake. His mouth and throat were severely burned. He is thought to be out of danger.

## DR. SWEENEY'S MOTHER DEAD.

Dr. L. B. Sweeney was called to Seattle, Wash., Saturday by a message announcing the serious illness of his mother, and yesterday a second message arrived announcing her death. The doctor's many Dixon friends will tender their sincerest condolence.

## COUNCIL HELD A SHORT SESSION

Last evening's session of the council was short and to the point, but three entries being made in City Clerk Blake Grover's record book to show the transactions of the commissioners. The first entry was the roll call, the second the vote on the approval of the minutes and the third and last the roll on the motion to adjourn. The commissioners have been holding so many day sessions to consider public improvement work that there was nothing for them to do last evening.

## HANNEKEN APPOINTED PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR

Justice A. H. Hanneken of this city was yesterday appointed Public Administrator of Lee county by Gov. Dunne, to succeed E. H. Brewster, the republican office holder. The position carries no salary, the administrator being paid a fee on each estate in which he is called upon to act.

## DAUGHTER BORN

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Richard Johnson of near Eldena last night.

## HUERTA TO GET U. S. NOTE TODAY

OFFICIAL OF AMBASSY WILL  
TAKE MESSAGE FROM LIND  
TO PROVISIONAL HEAD.

## WARSHIPS ORDERED TO STAY

Radiograms Received From American  
Vessels Patrolling Mexican  
Coast Report Crafts Were Told to  
Stay Near Scene.

San Diego, Cal., Aug. 12.—Radiograms received from the American warships patrolling the Gulf of California report that the armored cruiser Pittsburgh, which had started for San Diego with refugees, was ordered to return to Guaymas and remain there pending further instructions from the navy department. The supply ship Glacier, which was to have sailed with refugees for San Diego and San Francisco, has been ordered to remain at Guaymas indefinitely.

Washington, Aug. 12.—John Lind, President Wilson's special representative, has the message of the state department at Washington ready for presentation to President Huerta. The state department's desires are expressed in a document which was translated into Spanish.

Nelson O'Shaughnessy, the American charge d'affaires, took steps to ascertain whether the Mexican government would receive the communication. That it will do so there is little doubt, since it never has expressed unwillingness to accept embassy communications, and the receipt of this message would not involve the reception of Mr. Lind or Dr. William Bayard Hale, who also is in Mexico in behalf of the state department.

## Lind and Hale Confer.

Mr. Lind and Dr. Hale were in close conference for several hours. The most of Mr. Lind's time, however, was spent at his hotel, chiefly in order that he might be near Mrs. Lind, who is unable to leave her room because of illness. Her indisposition is not serious.

Mr. Lind had numerous callers during the day. A few of them were old friends who were desirous of renewing old acquaintance. None of the visitors were Mexicans.

Among Mr. Lind's callers were several persons whom he had never met and who attempted by adroit questioning to elicit information from him.

N. A. Jennings and Marvin Ferree, the two American newspaper correspondents who were arrested and held by order of the minister of the interior, were released from custody.

## Thanked for Courtesies.

Mr. O'Shaughnessy, acting under instructions of Secretary of State Bryan, delivered a note to the foreign office expressing the appreciation of the United States for the courtesies thus far shown to Mr. Lind. These courtesies consisted of a call upon President Wilson's personal representative by the commander of the garrison at Vera Cruz and a large display of police about the station when he arrived in the capital.

At the head of the foreign office there is a new minister, Frederico Gamboa, who was recently sworn in. It will fall to Senor Gamboa to deal with the present case, and although naturally he is dominated by President Huerta, it is hoped by President Wilson's emissaries that he may be inclined to deal with Washington's suggestions with more consideration than was indicated would be done by President Huerta's defiant note of last week.

## Senor Gamboa, with regard to Mr. Lind's mission, said:

"I have great faith in the reasonableness of the judgment of the United States and I have the conviction that the difficulties between Mexico and the United States soon will be adjusted."

Charging him with being "a regular trafficker with the dignity of the Mexican race and the integrity of the republic," Ignacio Pesqueira, former military governor of the state of Sonora, has severed his relations with Venustiano Carranza, the rebel governor of Coahuila, with whom he had been working in accord.

Pasqueira declared that Carranza had attempted treason against his country, while Provisional President Huerta, "disobedient to the will of the people though he may be, a traitor he never was."

## Relief at Capital.

Washington, Aug. 12.—Distinct relief was apparent in official circles here over the course of events in Mexico.

The statement of Frederico Gamboa, the new Mexican minister of foreign relations, that he had "great faith in the reasonableness of the judgment of the United States," holding the conviction that the difficulties between the two countries "soon would be adjusted," produced a very favorable impression in administration circles.

## SOLDIERS & SAILORS IN RE-UNION HERE

MUSIC AND EXERCISES AT THE  
AUDITORIUM THIS  
AFTERNOON

## CAMP FIRE THIS EVENING

Public is Invited to Attend Evening  
Exercises—Program for  
Tomorrow.

The annual reunion of the Northwestern Soldiers' and Sailors' association convened at Assembly park this afternoon with 169 veterans enrolled with Secy. Black. It is expected that fully 200 will have signed by evening, bringing the enrollment closer to last year's total of 272.

Early this afternoon the veterans and ladies enjoyed martial music by the fire and drum corps and at 2:30 the first exercises were held in the auditorium. Rev. Fisher invoked divine blessing and a mixed quartet furnished selections, following which addresses were made by Department Commander J. H. Chowder, Asst. Adjt. Gen. H. C. Cooke and Rev. W. J. Libberton, D. D., Chicago.

This evening there will be a camp fire to which the public is invited and tomorrow morning the proceedings will be as follows:

## 9 a. m.—Regimental reunions.

10:30 a. m.—Business meeting of association, to which every post is asked to send a representative. The meetings will be participated in by all comrades.

## ALLEGED FORGER CAUGHT HERE TODAY

ADOLPH TOMAC CHARGED WITH  
FORGING MRS. A. PHILLIPS'  
NAME, CAUGHT AFTER YEAR

Adolph Tomac, alleged to have forged a check for \$50 on Mrs. A. Phillips over a year ago, which check was cashed at the Dixon National bank, was arrested by Sheriff Reid and Deputy Phillips today and is in jail awaiting a hearing. He was in company with his wife when recognized by Commissioner VanBibber who immediately notified the sheriff's office. He claims he came back to get work and settle for his alleged forgery.

## HOLD INQUEST AT LEE ILL. TODAY

SON OF CHRISTIAN SCIENTIST  
WITHOUT SUFFICIENT MEDICAL  
ATTENDANCE, IS RUMOR.

Lee, Aug. 12.—Special.—Coroner Stephan and States Attorney Edwards are here today holding an inquisition into the death of Basil Thomas, aged 12, who died about two weeks ago from inflammatory rheumatism. It is said the inquest is being held because of rumors that his mother was a Christian Scientist and did not call a doctor shortly before his death, which alleged circumstance was made the basis for complaint by local physicians.

## Engine Kills Track Workers.

Grafton, W. Va., Aug. 12.—A. E. DeMore, J. B. McGinnis and Gulseppo Ronetta were killed near here when an engine ran into a gang of track repair men on the Baltimore & Ohio railroad.

## Aged Hare.

About 500 years ago there lived in Agshelin, a little town in Asia Minor, an imam, or village parson, the Khoja Nasr-ed-Din Effendi. Harry Charles Lukach says that one day a camel passed along the street in which the Khoja lived, and one of the Khoja's neighbors who had never seen a camel before ran to ask him what this strange beast might be.

"Don't you know what this is?" said the Khoja, who also had never seen a camel, but would not betray his ignorance. "That is a hare a thousand years old."

## RESOLUTION TO IMPEACH GOVERNOR

NEW YORK LEGISLATORS VOTE  
TODAY ON RESOLUTION TO  
OUST GOVERNOR.

## CORRUPT PRACTICE CHARGED

Frawley Body Reports and Demands  
Action Because of Alleged Stock  
Deals and False Report on Campaign Fund.

Albany, N. Y., Aug. 12.—The report of the Frawley committee detailing the results of its investigations into the official career of Gov. William Sulzer was adopted by the assembly late last night, and the resolution calling for the impeachment of the governor was immediately introduced by Representative Levy. A vote on the impeachment resolution will be taken today.

## Frawley Body Reports.

The conclusions of the Frawley committee, embodied in its report to the legislature, are that Governor Sulzer falsified under oath his campaign contribution account, diverted some of these contributions to the purchase of stock, speculated in stock at the time that, as governor, he was earnestly pressing legislation against the New York stock exchange, punished legislators who opposed him by vetoing their bills, traded executive approval of bills for support of his direct primary measure and did everything in his power to conceal proof and obstruct the Frawley committee's efforts to bring it to light.

"We submit to the senate and assembly," the report recites, "that the facts stated are sufficiently serious in character and are so violative of the laws of the state that the public interests demand some action in reference thereto, whether through the exercise of powers of the legislature or by referring facts and evidence to other duly constituted officers charged with duties in respect thereof."

## Truth Hidden, Is Charge.

"During the time of these hearings and investigations," the report proceeds, "William Sulzer, as governor, has done everything in his power to withhold the truth and obstruct the production of evidence and the course of justice. At his instance and direction Louis A. Sarecky, his secretary; Frederick L. Colwell, his dummy; and Harris and Fuller, his brokers, have refused to testify before the committee."

"Governor Sulzer made a false public statement, when on July 30, 1913, he said that he was away campaigning and that he did not know of the campaign contributions omitted from his sworn statement. The Elkus check was indorsed by Sulzer personally and he acknowledged the letter of Elkus transmitting it as a campaign contribution."

"We submit to the legislature that it was false when William Sulzer swore that he had received only \$5,460 of campaign contributions, and that he did so with full knowledge that he had received an amount many times that sum and had converted the same to his private uses."

"This committee, therefore, has not completed its investigation, either on this subject or on others covered by the resolutions under which it is acting, but it has felt that the revelations set forth in this report and the testimony accompanying it should be brought to the attention of the legislature at once, without awaiting a final report either on this or other subjects."

## FREEPORT BOY DROWNS.

Freeport, Aug. 12.—Special.—The second violent death in the family of Frederick Neuman of this city occurred Saturday afternoon when his 16 year old son Harry jumped off the C. & N. W. bridge over the Pecatonica river here into 25 feet of water and was drowned.

The boy could not swim and his companions, who had gone to the river with him to bathe, who knew he was unable to swim, shouted to him not to jump when they saw him preparing to dive off one of the piers.

He paid no attention to them, however, and jumped off into the water. His body did not again come to the surface, until it was found by searchers Sunday morning.

## YEGGMEN IN FREEPORT.

Freeport, Aug. 12.—Special.—Safe blowers entered the Cascade laundry here Sunday morning, moved the office safe about 100 feet from its regular position, blew the doors off with a heavy charge of black powder and got away with about \$165 in cash.

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## Social Happenings

### Davidson-Dudley

Chicago Sunday papers stated that cards had been received there announcing the marriage of Miss Georgia Nellie Dudley of Memphis, Tenn., to R. M. Davidson, of Oregon in Dixon, Ill. After a short honeymoon trip, the couple will be at home in Oregon, where the groom has law offices.

### W. O. W. Tonight.

There will be a meeting of the Woodmen of the World at Union hall tonight. Every member is urged to attend as there is business to transact.

### Ice Cream Social

The ladies of W. C. O. F. will hold an ice cream social Friday evening, Aug. 15 on the lawn of Mrs. Theresa Monahan's home, corner of Madison avenue and First street. The public is cordially invited.

### At Pennsylvania Corners.

The juvenile classes of the Christian Sunday school will hold an ice cream social at the Christian church at Pennsylvania Corners Wednesday evening, Aug. 13. All are cordially invited.

### Attending Reunion.

Postmaster John Grierson and daughter, Janet, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Shear, North Ottawa avenue, while attending the Soldiers' reunion.

### Visited Here.

A number of Oregon and Rockford relatives and friends of Mr. and Mrs. Manges and Mrs. Burrs motored from Oregon to Lowell park and had a picnic there and later came on to Dixon and enjoyed a supper at the home of Mrs. Margaret Burrs.

### Fortnightly Club.

The Fortnightly club will hold its annual picnic Thursday afternoon at the Mrs. George Smith cottage at Assembly park. Their families are included in the invitation.

### Is Guest Here.

Mrs. Daniel Rounds of Morrison is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Shear, of North Ottawa Avenue, while attending the reunion.

### Hospital Benefit.

There will be a lawn social at the Raymond home on North Crawford avenue Friday evening under the auspices of the board of directors of the Katherine Shaw Bethel hospital. The ladies hope to realize enough from the social to furnish one of the new rooms. The public is cordially invited and urged to attend.

### Meet at Mrs. Watts'.

Inadvertently the Telegraph announced last evening that the Women's Home Missionary society of

SWITCHES MADE FROM COMBING FLORENCE I. DUSTMAN Announces the Opening of THE BEAUTY SHOP

123 1-2 First St. Over Martin's Store Hair Dressing, Shampooing, Manicuring, Facial and Scalp Massage, Hair Work. Phone 418 Dixon, Ill.

## Eyes can be rested

While they work.

If you wear the proper Glasses you will find that your eyes will stand as much work as they ever did.

That's a great advantage of Glasses—they give relief the minute you put them on—and give it continuously.

BUT—

The Glasses must be chosen with absolute accuracy.

In optics a small error is a big error. We can guarantee you perfect satisfaction.

DR. W. F. AYDELOTTE, Neurologist and Health Instructor, 223 Crawford Ave., Dixon. Phone 160 for Appointments.

the M. E. church would meet Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Block. The meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. J. W. Watts.

### To Hold Social.

Tomorrow evening, after the meeting of the Knights and Ladies of Security, that society together with the Ladies of the G. A. R. Circle will hold a social in Union hall, to which all members and their friends are invited.

## City In Brief

Carl Stephan of Ashton spent Sunday in Dixon with friends.

Morris J. Edwards went to Danville Monday morning in the interest of the I. N. U. company, returning to Mendota last evening and thence east to Earlville.

O. H. Martin transacted business in Chicago today.

D. Conlon of Sterling was a visitor in Dixon Sunday.

Roy D. Smith was an eastbound passenger this morning.

M. J. McGowan has returned to Chicago after an over-Sunday visit with his family.

Charles Russell of Sterling was a business visitor in Dixon Monday.

Mrs. Will Godfrey entertained at Sunday dinner Attorney and Mrs. Douglas Pattison of Freeport.

Hiram Potter of Byron was a business visitor in Dixon Monday.

George Onnen spent Sunday in Franklin Grove.

George Gitt's condition is reported to be improving slowly.

Misses Irene Eichenberg, Nellie Sheets and Clara Sheets have returned from a pleasant week's outing at camp on Phillip's island.

Edward Washington, and wife of Chicago are here visiting at the Grimes home. Mr. Washington has been a member of the Chicago mail carrier's force for many years.

—Any summer hat \$2. Miss Mulkins.

Dr. and Mrs. Z. W. Moss are expected home from the east on the 15th.

W. J. Edwards of Amboy attended the funeral of F. A. Watson Monday afternoon.

Attorney J. W. Johnson of Sterling was a professional visitor in Dixon yesterday.

Miss Peggy Richter of Saunemin, this state, and Miss Bernice Powell of Des Moines were week end guests of Miss Dorothy Armington.

tra by mail.

Mrs. James Leach of the Bend has gone to Goldfield, Ia., for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Groharing and Lyle Greely of Thomson, Carroll county, the latter a nephew of Mrs. Wm. Stark of Dixon, have returned home after a visit here.

Mrs. Sam Watson left today for a visit with Mrs. Olive Underwood Swift at her home in Fall River, Mass. Mrs. Watson will be met at Boston by Mrs. Swift.

Miss Mulkins has returned from a business visit in Chicago.

Dr. and Mrs. Balne of Chicago were here to attend the funeral of F. A. Watson Monday.

Jesse VanBibber of Tampico was here today.

Do not fail to get one of Dr. Frederick A. Cook's books, "My Attainment of the Pole," one Telegraph coupon and 70c, this office, 13c extra on business.

States Attorney Harry Edwards went to Lee this morning on professional business.

Mr. and Mrs. Miles Bryan are here today.

Mrs. Phelix McGinnis and Miss Nellie Dooley of Chicago spent the day in Dixon enroute to Pioneer, Ia. where they will visit Mrs. Harvey, a sister of Miss Dooley.

## LINE OF NORTHERN BOUNDARY

Curious History of United States Territory That "Overlaps" Into the Dominion of Canada.

How did the United States come to get that small corner of land which juts out from the extreme northern boundary of Minnesota? History of that little "nose" which sticks out into Canada from Minnesota and which constitutes the northernmost point of the United States is very interesting. Under the treaty of 1783 boundary between the United States and British possessions was fixed. A certain point on the Lake of the Woods was mutually agreed to as one starting point, this being considered the headwaters of the St. Lawrence river and Great Lakes system. At that time it was not known whether this point was north or south of the forty-ninth parallel, but it was known to be close to it. The understanding was that from that point the boundary should go north or south to the forty-ninth parallel, as the case might be. Later and more accurate surveys showed that point was about 25 miles north of the forty-ninth parallel, and so at this place the boundary makes a jog above that line. Uncle Sam thus has a little piece of territory of about 100 square miles in extent north of the general boundary. And the joke of it is that any one has to go by water in order to reach this little piece of territory unless he wants to go through Canada.—The Pathfinder.

### Indeed, It Brought Results!

The bald-headed man burst violently into the barber shop and bustled up to the proprietor.

"See here, sir!" he said, "that hair restorer—"

"Why," interrupted the barber, "you bought that only two days ago—you can't expect—"

"No, no," the man broke in, "our green maid-of-all-work mistook it for furniture polish and—"

"On, you want another bottle?"

"Not by a jugful! I want you to come and shave my parlor set and four bedroom chairs."

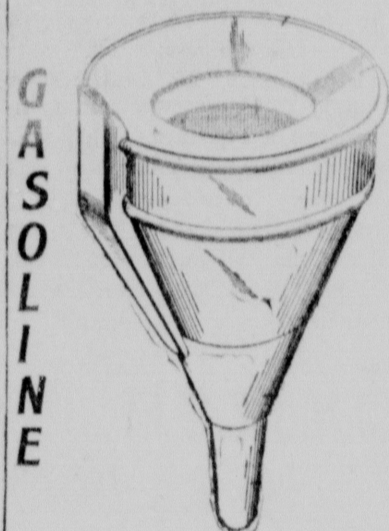
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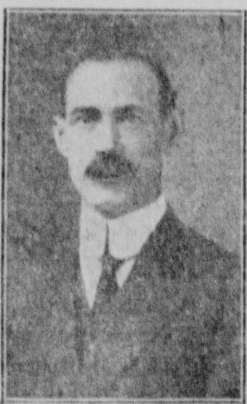
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A grocer is a man who spends his time in exchanging adulterated foods for unadulterated money.

The best time to visit any grocer is after you have had a large, square meal; the worst time to visit him is in the afternoon about 5 o'clock, when you are half starved and everything in his place looks more or less real.

But after you have given him an order under these famished conditions, do not go home to your wife. It is better to give her a few days in which to recover, and incidentally get even with you by ordering two new Paris hats and rhododendron kimono.

To be a successful grocer one must have sand, a rich Oriental vocabulary that can describe the same tea as if it were in each case really different and a complete knowledge of aniline dyes.

Also, every grocer should be married. He can then explain to his customer when he is trying to sell her some combination of wood pulp and asbestos for nourishment: "My wife has tried this for three weeks and still lives."—Life.

### Were Not Discussing Picture.

His pride was natural, for he was quite a young artist; and there it was—there could be no doubt about it—his picture, his great picture, was hanging in the Royal academy. What's more, two people stood motionless in front while the artist stood afar, gazing at them. Then, "I say, Charlie," he asked his friend, "do saunter carelessly by and find out what they are saying about my picture. Perhaps they want to buy it." Forthwith Charlie set out to do a careless saunter. Presently to the expectant artist the wait seemed an eternity—he returned to his friend. "No business doing," he sighed. "She's only blowing him up for leaving off his flannels too soon."

### Too Late To Classify

LOST. Between Polo and Dixon, black leather handbag with gold initial on corner, C. K. Contained one \$5 bill and two \$2 bills and about 34 cents in change. Finder leave same at this office and receive reward, toward Haines, R. F. D. 1, Polo, Ill. 90 6\*

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LOST. Lady's cameo dinner ring, with woman's head carved in cameo. Lost in Grand Detour. Finder please return to this office. Liberal reward. 90 3

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WANTED. A competent cook, No washing or ironing. Apply at J. C. Ayres', 421 Peoria Ave. 90 6

WANTED. Elderly woman to take care of young woman during confinement. Enquire 211 W. Everett St., City. 90 3\*

WANTED. Dining room girl at Natchua House. 90 6  
Miss Louise Peters of Chicago is a guest of Misses Pauline and Bertie Brass.

Miss Gertie Gannon of Milwaukee attended the funeral of Mr. Watson in Dixon Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Kutler returned to Chicago Sunday after visiting a week with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Martinson.

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S. Skeffington left today for a business trip into Minnesota and Canada.

## GOOD BACKS FOR BAD

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Does your back ache, feel weak and painful?

Do you suffer headaches, languor and depression?

Is the urine discolored, passages irregular?

The kidneys may be calling for help.

Weak kidneys cannot do their work.

Give them the help they need.

To cure a kidney backache you must cure the kidneys.

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## THE BROWN BOTTLE BUGABOO

Chicago, November 12, 1912

To our Clients:— Please take note that we have recently given our opinion to one of our clients as to the relative merits of the white and brown bottle for beer, as follows: "Referring to your recent request for our opinion on the relative merits of the white and the brown bottle for beer, we wish to say that the ONLY advantage of the brown bottle over the light bottle consists in the protection it affords against the influence of light WHERE BEERS ARE NOT OF SUCH QUALITY AS TO BE IMMUNE FROM A HIGH DEGREE OF STABILITY. "Where, however, bottle beers have attained a HIGH DEGREE OF STABILITY, influences as prolonged chilling and prolonged storage at summer temperature, they no longer become less sensitive to the influence of light, so that with the usual precautions no bad effect need be feared. "FOR SUCH BEERS THE LIGHT BOTTLE IS PREFERABLY EMPLOYED because it can more readily be inspected before filling to insure thorough cleanliness, and because the finished package reveals requirements of the consumer as to color, clarity and freedom from sedimentation. "Yours very truly, "WAHL-HENIUS INSTITUTE OF FERMENTOLOGY"



## Dementown Doings

Has anybody here seen Tim Hogan the barber? Pipe the following from the Chicago Drovers' Journal:

Tim Hogan, Dixon, Ill., who umpires all the thrilling engagements between the Dixon and Sterling baseball teams, was not at his barber shop Monday. Discretion is the better part of valor, thinks Tim.

Umpire Hogan got in bad with the fans in the seventh inning of Sunday's game. Ned Whitehead, slugging outfielder of the Dixon Stars, drove the ball into the river and circled the bags, but Hogan declared he failed to touch third. Whitehead raced around again. "You're out," said Hogan: "you missed second."

Hogan led by a neck when the crowd chased him to the left field fence dropped over and disappeared. Dixon lost the game.

Word has been received from Fred Mulkins of Decatur to the effect that he expects to return to Dixon in the near future.

Charles H. Johnson is out from Chicago for a short vacation to visit friends.

Attorneys S. V. Wirick of Rochelle and C. F. Preston of Papaw were professional visitors in Dixon Monday.

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Value of Labor  
Labor is a commodity to be bought and sold notwithstanding the mauling criticism of some theorists, writes C. W. Post in Leslie's. Labor is not the man himself, whom I consider a part of the divine, but labor is his output of the farmer, and it is a subject for purchase and sale, and upon its quality depends its demand and its value. There are two kinds of labor, the one manual and the other mental. When the skilled workman possesses a trained mind which directs his hands, he rises in value, and when he reaches a plane where his mind is so well trained that he in turn becomes a creator and must needs devise and direct, he then requires other hands to carry out his ideas. Then he again rises in the plane of value to humanity, and his compensation must keep pace.

It Had Been Picked.  
Minnick—I see that they have found in Egypt the mummy of a man whose right leg is nearly a foot longer than the left one.

Slinick—Important as evidence that they had church fairs in ancient Egypt.—Browning's Magazine.

## HOW MRS. BROWN SUFFERED

During Change of Life—How Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Made Her a Well Woman.

Iola, Kansas.—"During the Change of Life I was sick for two years. Before I took your medicine I could not bear the weight of my clothes and was bloated very badly. I doctored with three doctors but they did me no good. They said nature must have its way. My doctor advised me to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and I purchased a bottle. Before it was gone the bloating left me and I was not so sore. I continued taking it until I had taken twelve bottles. Now I am stronger than I have been for years and can do all my work, even the washing. Your medicine is worth its weight in gold. I cannot praise it enough. If more women would take your medicine there would be more healthy women. You may use this letter for the good of others."—Mrs. D. H. Brown, 809 N. Walnut St., Iola, Kan.

Change of Life is one of the most critical periods of a woman's existence. Women everywhere should remember that there is no other remedy known to so successfully carry women through this trying period as Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

If you want special advice write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. (confidential) Lynn, Mass. Your letter will be opened, read and answered by a woman and held in strict confidence.

### SPECIAL ASSESSMENT NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given to all persons interested that the City of Dixon has by LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ORDINANCE NO. 149, SERIES OF 1913, passed by the Council of said City of Dixon on the 7th day of July, A. D. 1913, and approved by the Mayor, a resolution to construct a sewer from the manhole heretofore constructed at the center line of Galena Avenue to the center line of Ottawa Avenue; on Ottawa Avenue from the center line of East Sixth Street to the center line of East Seventh Street; on East Seventh Street from the center line of Ottawa Avenue to the center line of Dement Avenue. In the City of Dixon, in the County of Lee and State of Illinois.

That said ordinance is now on file in the office of the City Clerk of said City of Dixon; that application has been made to the County Court of Lee County, Illinois, for an assessment of the cost of said improvement according to the benefits as provided by law and said ordinance, that an assessment therefor has been made and returned to said court, and that the final hearing thereon will be had before the said court in the County Court Room in the Court House in Dixon, in said Lee County, Illinois, at nine o'clock in the forenoon on Monday, the 8th day of September, A. D. 1913, or as soon thereafter as the business of said court will permit.

All persons desiring may file objections to said assessment in said court before said time and may appear at said hearing and make defense.

Said assessment is payable in Ten (10) annual installments and all installments bear interest at the rate of Five (5) per centum per annum, according to law, until paid.

Dated at Dixon, Illinois, this 12th day of August, A. D. 1913.

HARVEY SINDLINGER,  
1905 Commissioner.

## JANE'S ROMANCE

Jane Smith was romantic. In spite of her plain name—or because of it—she hated plain things and plain, practical people. Therefore, despite the fact that she loved him and that she had been his constant companion from childhood and that he was eminently suitable, she refused Tom Anson when he proposed to her in direct and simple language.

"You are waiting for some fairy prince to come along," commented her father, bitterly, when he had extracted the truth from her. "Better come down out of the clouds and accept a good, sensible man while you have the chance. There are not many Tom Ansons."

Shortly after plain Tom Anson had been sent away so unceremoniously Jane was rowing on the small lake that bordered on her father's estate, near the high road, when her canoe upset and she found herself floundering in the water.

At the psychological moment a large motor car rounded a sharp curve in the road, chugging like a red demon, and Jane's heart, beneath her soaked linen bodice, gave a leap.

Her Prince Charming, at last! It was evident that he had seen beauty in distress at the first glance and was gallantly coming to the rescue. The crimson car, with a final, indignant snort, was rounded in off the high road and brought to a standstill. The occupant threw aside cap, goggles and other impediments instantaneously and with incredible speed had reached the water and plunged in.

The handsome stranger carried her, dripping but happy, up the bank. She allowed herself the luxury of leaning against his shoulder until he had dried her face upon a corner of the linen dust coat in the car and made no demur as he placed her on the front seat where he could support her as he steered.

On that short drive homeward she learned all about her handsome rescuer. He was the young Lord Fitz Maurice, to whom the estate adjoining her father's had fallen some years previously; he had just arrived from foreign parts to look over his ancestral property with a view to repairing and, later, inhabiting the old place.

During the next few weeks Jane went about with dreamy eyes. Every afternoon, at a certain hour, she was met near the lake by the mysterious red motor car and when she returned, pink cheeked, from her stolen ride she had listened to more romantic nonsense in two hours than simple Tom Anson would have told her in six months.

It had gone so far that she had promised to marry her brave rescuer, unconditionally, any day and hour that he might name, when one day he begged the privilege of meeting her in her own home.

"In secret, of course, love."

That night, when everyone had retired to the upper regions, it was Jane's own fair hand that unlocked the hall door and at his bidding, left it so, while he made fervid and furtive love to her in the drawing room.

When the clock struck 1 a low whistle without caused the young lord to start to his feet hastily.

"What, so late already? Ah, I could linger by your side forever, but duty calls me. Farewell. That was my chauffeur's warning. Tomorrow at the usual trysting place!"

With that he was gone and Jane was about to lock the door behind him. Then, following a romantic impulse—much easier for Jane than simply being sensible—she slipped down to the gate behind him, stealing along in the shadow unobserved. At the gate she had meant to step out and surprise him, but just then a muffled figure rose from behind a clump of syringas and, lifting up a sack in which something clinked, tossed it under the seat of the big red car.

"Got 'em all?" came from her prince in an eager whisper, with a furtive backward glance at the darkened windows of the house behind them.

"Sure," was the laconic answer, and the car and its occupants shot down the road, leaving Jane to stare, open mouthed, after it.

The explanation came next morning and with it her prince's reasons for maintaining such strict incognito were made clear to Jane.

There was not a piece of silver left in her father's establishment, not even a teaspoon, save some plated stuff that practiced eyes could have told at a glance was practically worthless!

Jane ventured one question as she sat with her father in the library that afternoon—at the hour she should have kept her tryst.

"Do you know when the young Lord Fitz Maurice is coming home?"

"The young lord?" her father stared at her in amazement. "There isn't any young lord. The property went out of the hands of the Fitz Maurices ten years ago and belongs to a bald-headed widower named Griggs."

"Oh," breathed Jane.

That night Tom Anson, encouraged by something in Jane's manner, put the momentous question once more. And he was promptly and unequivocally accepted.

### The Other Legs.

Benham—I don't see how you get around in your hobble skirt.

Mrs. Benham—Do you remember when it took a surgical operation to get you out of your skin-tight trousers?

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If afflicted it is well worth your while to come and consult me, rather than subject yourself to dangerous, experimental treatment at the hands of some self-styled specialist. These false specialists have never received special knowledge, possess no curative powers and are not true specialists in the proper sense of the word. My sympathy is enlisted with every patient. The curing and building up of weak, broken-down men is my life-work. The welfare and cure of my patients is my only thought. My independent fortune makes the fee a secondary consideration. I differ widely from the grasping doctor, who thinks only of his fee and cares nothing for the suffering of their fellowmen. Investigate before treating elsewhere, it may save you from years of suffering and be the means of changing your whole future. If afflicted, do not delay; call on me today. My specialties are more fully commented upon below, and are well worth the careful perusal of every weak man.

### YOUNG MEN.

Have you, through indiscretion and abuse of nature's law, broken down your health and manhood? Are unnatural drains slowly sapping your vitality? Your pimpled face, dark circled eyes, stooping form, stunted development, bashful manner proclaim your folly to all the world and mar your success in business, pleasure or society. Don't despair, I can rid you of all the symptoms, prepare you anew for married life and make you once more a man among men.

### VARICOCELE.

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### NERVOUS DEBILITY.

Excesses and dissipation have wrecked many lives. Is your wrecked system crying out for help? Are you nervous, irritable and despondent—are you growing weaker: your manhood is on the decline and will soon be lost unless you do something for yourself. My long experience has rendered me thoroughly familiar with all the causes and effects of nervous debility and I have lifted up enough fallen men to make an army. My

treatment will remove all the effects of your former folly. Check every drain of your vitality, invigorate the wasted pelvic organs, clear up the clouded brain and quickly restore you to what nature intended—a healthy and happy man, with physical, mental and vital powers complete. Avoid free prescriptions and temporary stimulants. I guarantee a permanent restoration.

### MIDDLE-AGED MEN.

You are reaping the penalty of neglected youthful sins. Dissipation, excess, private and blood diseases have ravaged your system and undermined your already weakened vitality. Weaknesses have developed into organic disease. You are prematurely old and not the man you should be. Your manhood is on the decline and will soon be lost. Awake to the true condition. I can restore you to perfect health and manhood with special physical, mental and vital powers complete.

### URETHRAL OBSTRUCTIONS.

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If you have sore throat, mucous patches, pimples, copper colored spots, sores and ulcers, bone pains, falling hair or symptoms of this disease in either preliminary, secondary or tertiary stages, come to me and be forever rid of me. My treatment quickly destroys the virus, clears the skin, purifies the blood and thoroughly cleanses and eradicates all traces of poison from the system. All danger of transmission or recurrence is removed. Don't rely on patent medicine or intrust your health to incompetent druggists or physicians. Consult me at once.

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I have had the most remarkable success in giving relief to many old chronic cases where all other treatments had failed. No matter how long you have suffered or what your disease is or who has pronounced you incurable, I ask you to come to me. I will examine you and tell you frankly whether or not you can be relieved by this new system of treatment. Many people have come to me in our city; a said other doctors had pronounced them incurable or that an operation was necessary. They had about given up hope, and have been restored to health by me. I can give you as many private references as you wish of the wonderful results that I am making with this system of treatment. Remember, I accept no case by mail. I must make a complete examination of your case first. I do this for you free of charge on this trip.

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Present Generation Demands Too  
Much of Everything, Is the Opin-  
ion of Woman Writer.

"It is the mark of our era to want more or everything than we can use, yet when we get the too much we demand, we are crushed by it, as Tarpeia was crushed by the shields," writes Cornelia A. P. Comber in the Atlantic.

"I have often thought that the sheer, brute mass of life—of people to know, of books to read, of plays to hear, of pictures to see, of things to do, buy, learn, enjoy—within reach of the well-to-do person in the modern world, far outruns the capacity of any human being to take it in and make of it the sane whole that a life should be.

"Yes—yet we go crazily on, trying to expand to illimitable possibilities, thinking we shall be happier so soon as we have discarded all our present belongings and opportunities for bigger, newer, richer ones. How many people do you know who have not met a substantial increase of income with a corresponding enlargement of the whole scale of living, a senseless expansion sometimes outrunning their increased ability to provide for it? There is no future but chaos for a society with such ambitions. They are centrifugal and can only lead to disintegration."

## THOUGHT NIGHT HAD PASSED

Tired Farm Hand Lost All Track of  
Time in His Brief but Evident-  
ly Deep Slumber.

Even when you are wide awake it is frequently hard to estimate the passage of time. On one occasion you find it hard to believe that several hours have elapsed, and on another

the day may drag so slowly that the clock seems to have shirked its duty. While you are asleep the calculation of time is, of course, almost impossible, as this incident, told by a farmer's son at the corner store one rainy morning, aptly illustrates:

Father hired a new hand last night—a big, good-natured Dutchman. Evidently the poor fellow was tired from tramping about the country, for he went to bed immediately after supper. As usual, father went down to the cellar about 9:30 to throw some coal in the furnace and adjust the drafts for the night. Evidently this made enough noise to rouse the new hired man, for mother, who was sitting beside the table in the dining-room, saw the stair door suddenly open and disclose the broad form of the Dutchman. Blinking drowsily before the light, he exclaimed:

"Good morning, Missis! Good morning! I could chust as well haf come down von hour ago if you had only voke me up!"—Youth's Companion.

## Practical Opposed to Ideal.

Among the legends connected with the great Cardinal Borromeo, the following is told to visitors to the huge palace of that ancient family on the Borromeo islands in the Italian lakes. When Cardinal Borromeo had shown Cardinal Giulio the vast abode which he had just completed, the latter maintained a strict silence until they had inspected the whole. When departing, he said: "Your eminence, I have been reflecting that the huge sums spent on this place might have been given to the poor." Cardinal Borromeo replied: "Your eminence, they have been given to the poor. But our notions of charity differ. I pay the poor for their labor, and your eminence for their idleness."

## Rural Solomon.

"The court has taken your case into consideration, Mr. Slithers," said the judge, at Slithers's trial for violating the motor ordinances at Crickett's Corners, "and, in view of what you've said, and with some trowth, about the badness of our roads hereabouts in your sworn testimony, I've decided not to fine ye \$50, as the law permits."

"That's very square of you, judge," said Slithers. "We try to be square, Mr. Slithers," said the judge, "and, instead of the \$50 fine, we're goin' to sentence ye to work on them roads for ten days, in the hope that your superior wisdom as a road expert will make 'em considerably better."

## MISERERI MEI DOMINI

By CHARLES W. CUNO.



"Oh, Palo! Is it you?" she cried. He took her hands in his and printed a fervent kiss upon her lips. "Yes, Mercedes," he answered, "I have come back to see you once again."

"But— but—" she began. "No, Chiquita, there is little danger. No one knows that I am here."

Out of the convent window Sister Sorice looked listlessly. As she looked the two parted, and Mercedes was left standing alone. She was the daughter of a miller, the son of the governor of the province of San Diego. Sister Sorice shook her head sadly. Three months before she had witnessed their first meeting.

When Palo went to his father and confessed his love for Mercedes, he flew into an awful rage. "Son," he said sternly, "you will never go near the miller's daughter again. I shall give orders. If you are caught there, you will be put in prison. Remember, I mean what I say."

But Palo came again to see his Mercedes and Sister Sorice was watching from her high convent window. Alas, he came to tell his sweetheart that he is going away on a trip to far off Spain, but he will be back again in a year, perhaps sooner. Will she wait for him till then?

"In the morning," he said, "I may see you again, 'tis for the last time by the bridge that goes over the Plaza. Is it not so? Mia Carissima!"

Tears came to the girl's eyes as she nodded her head. He kissed her and went down the path. In the morning she was waiting for him at the bridge when Palo arrived. She was about to fly into his arms, when, out from the shrubbery stepped a soldier. "I arrest you, Senor," he said.

The officer's back was turned toward her. An impulse, a flash, and it was done. She had drawn the dagger from her girdle and plunged it into his back. He fell like a log. Palo shrank back aghast.

"If I am caught now," he cried. "But you will not. Go! Go! she cried, in frenzy pushing him toward the bridge. At the bridge she stopped. "Kiss me once," she cried. He stooped and kissed her passionately.

They parted and Mercedes began to run quickly through the woods.

She saw people standing around the body. She fancied she heard her name spoken. Fleet as a deer, she sped away, but before she had gone a hundred yards, she was discovered. There was a shout and a dozen started after her.

The silver bell of the convent was again ringing and she ran instinctively towards the sombre sheltering walls. She stumbled up the steps and fell into the arms of Sister Sorice.

Snatching the silver crucifix from her girdle Sorice held it defiantly into the faces of the oncoming mob. They recoiled from it as from a great repellent force.

"Stop," she cried, "she has taken refuge with God. Would you defile the sanctuary of the Lord?"

They looked into the calm, determined face of Sister Sorice, and one by one, slunk shamefacedly away. Trembling, Mercedes wept out her story to the sister, who, when she heard it, wept with her.

"My child," said Sister Sorice, gently putting her arm about Mercedes, "I will tell you a story. Twenty years ago a maiden bid her lover good-bye by that little bridge down there. 'Wait for me,' he said. 'I will return soon!' But he did not, and soon the maid took refuge in this convent to hide her shame. A little girl was born and a good man took pity on it and adopted it as his own. That maid, Mercedes, was myself. For twenty years I have looked down that road, watching for the return of my lover."

She paused and looked at Mercedes with infinite yearning. "And you," she continued at last, "has the miller never told you?"

Mercedes looked at the sister in surprise. "Told me what?"

"You—you are—my—child."

Many years have passed since then. One weary watcher has been laid to rest, but there is a sister still, with snowy white hair and kind, wistful face, who stands by the high little window and looks out upon the road. Perhaps she fancies she hears a voice. It is only the humming of the old bell and the echo of the quavering voices as they sing:

"Misereri mei Domini!"

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## COL. EDUARDO HAY



Colonel Hay, chief of staff of the Mexican constitutionalists in the state of Sonora, appeared before the foreign relations committee of the United States senate and told it that if the embargo on arms were removed the Huerta regime would soon be ended.

HOUSE BEGINS  
MULHALL GRILLColonel Takes Stand in What  
Promises to Be a Far-Reach-  
ing Quiz.

## COLONEL'S MEMORY IS POOR

Refuses to Testify Until Notes Are  
Produced—Says Bartholdt's Aid  
Was Gained by Holding Up  
Opposed Measure.

Washington, Aug. 12.—The Mulhall "confession" shifted to the house when the colonel took the stand before that body to reveal his alleged experience in influencing legislation. The majority of his testimony was a repetition of what he told the senate investigators.

After a brief examination, in the course of which the witness objected strenuously to testifying from his recollection without the aid of voluminous documents which he presented to the senate committee, the house committee began the detailed investigation of the Mulhall charges. The committee plans to take up systematically the various members of the house, its employees and other public men mentioned in the correspondence and examine the witness relating to each individual.

Tells of Bartholdt Aid.

Following this plan, all the Mulhall letters relating to Representative Richard Bartholdt of Missouri were placed in the record and Mulhall was questioned about them. The letters related to the activity of Mulhall in obtaining assistance from Bartholdt in preventing a report on an eight-hour labor bill from the labor committee and in supporting the Littlefield anti-pilotage bill which the Association of Manufacturers favored.

The letters and Mulhall's testimony told of arranging to gain the support of Bartholdt and other members of the anti-pilotage bill by working to hold up in the house judiciary committee a bill forbidding the interstate shipment of intoxicating liquors, to which Bartholdt was opposed.

Helped in Campaigns.

Mulhall said that through the National Counsel for Industrial Defense the Citizens' Industrial association of St. Louis was "always put in motion to assist Bartholdt in his campaigns."

"He was always friendly with the organization," the witness added. "Do you think he was friendly because of his natural attitude as a lawyer and a legislator?" asked Chairman Garrett.

"He was friendly, I believe," answered Mulhall, "because of the political influence that could be brought to bear in his district."

A letter from Representative Bartholdt denied that the association had ever influenced his vote.

The committee will continue the taking of testimony relating to men now in congress, Representative Burke of Pennsylvania, Calder of New York, Fairchild of New York, McDermott of Illinois, Sherley of Kentucky and Webb of North Carolina will be taken up in order.

Why Married Men Live Long.

The reason a married man lives longer than a single man is because the single man leads a selfish existence. A married man can double his pleasure. Any time he has a streak of good luck it tickles him all over, but it makes him feel twice as good when he tells his wife about it. And she is so pleased and proud that he feels like a two-year-old. There isn't a chance in the world of a man's arteries hardening or his heart weakening when he can get a million dollars' worth of pleasure out of making his wife happy.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

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## HOT WEATHER DRINKS.

During the hot weather there is great demand for cooling drinks, and we prefer those made at home with materials which are unquestionable, rather than many which are served in bottles or at the fountains. In the following, there surely will be found one which will suit the palate of all:

Ginger Water.—This is the old-fashioned drink which used to be carried to the fields to refresh the tillers of the soil who have made our country what it is today. This drink is just as popular today among the descendants of the early fathers of our country, and is so easily prepared that it should be more frequently used. Take a tablespoonful of ground ginger, add three of sugar and a pint of ice cold water; stir well and serve. In the olden times they sweetened this with molasses.

Rhubarb Drink.—This is a very refreshing as well as wholesome drink for children. Boil seven or eight stalks of pie plant in a quart of water for ten minutes; strain into a pitcher in which has been placed the thin rind of a lemon. Add four tablespoonfuls of sugar and let stand for a few hours before serving.

Orangeade.—Make a sirup by boiling half a pound of lump sugar with a cup of water. Pare four oranges very thinly, put the rinds in a pitcher and pour on the boiling hot sirup. Let stand until cold, then add the juice of the oranges and six lemons. Add a quart of ice cold water, and serve.

Boston Cream.—This is a drink which will keep, and will be ready to use in an emergency: Take two pounds of lump sugar and five pints of water; boil together fifteen minutes. When cool add half an ounce of lemon extract, two ounces of powdered tartaric acid and the whites of three eggs well beaten. When quite cold, bottle. When required for use, pour a few tablespoonfuls of the mixture in a glass, fill with three parts water, stir up well and add a quarter of a teaspoonful of soda. Stir briskly and serve at once.

Nellie Maxwell.

## FERDINAND THANKS HIS ARMY

Praises Men for Devotion and Says He  
Was Forced to Sign Treaty.

Sofia, Aug. 12.—King Ferdinand issued a pathetic address to the army. In it he thanked his soldiers for the bravery and devotion they displayed in the war against the "traitorous allies" and declared that their efforts would have been crowned with success "had not a series of political circumstances paralyzed our strength."

"Pressed on all sides," the address continued, "we were obliged to sign the treaty of Bucharest, our country not being in a condition to struggle against five neighbors. Exhausted and tired, but not conquered, we had to turn our glorious standards until better days."

"Tell your children and your grandchildren about the gallantry of the Bulgarian soldiers and prepare them to complete one day the glorious work you began."

HUERTA TO GET  
U. S. NOTE TODAY

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Secretary Bryan commented optimistically on it, and White House officials also were pleased.

Wilson Sees War Lobby.

President Wilson pointed out during the day to callers what seemed to him conspicuous efforts on the part of some people unknown to him, through published misrepresentations, to involve the United States in intervention. He reiterated that the attitude of this government toward Mexico in the present situation was one of peace and friendliness solely.

The president indicated that he shared somewhat the views of Senator Williams, who declared in a speech last Saturday that an organized lobby existed to involve the United States in open war.

Cheered by Lind's Safety.

The safe arrival in Mexico City of John Lind, personal representative of President Wilson and officially designated adviser to the American embassy, ended some tense moments in the situation. Administration officials look forward hopefully to a favorable reception of their efforts to suggest measures of peace in ending the struggle between the contending factions in Mexico.

With the air cleared of rumors of hostility in the Mexican capital to Mr. Lind's presence there, officials were disposed to believe the program of the American government would be carried out quietly and in such manner as seemed most expedient to Mr. Lind and the embassy at Mexico City.

Seeks Rebels' Aims.

President Wilson has had no direct communication either with the Huerta government or the constitutionalists' authority, and he indicated to his callers that he would welcome more information about the purpose of the constitutionalists.

It was learned also that the president has not yet formally considered recognition of the belligerency of the constitutionalists, but that in so far as territory alone is concerned he regarded that held by the constitutionalists as strong enough in proportion to that controlled by the Huerta government to make recognition of the constitutionalists not wholly unjustifiable from a diplomatic standpoint.

To Send Another Gunboat.

Secretary Daniels ordered the gunboat Nashville to be ready to leave for the east coast of Mexico, the latter part of the week. The Nashville will join Rear Admiral Fletcher's command and be subject to his orders as to where she shall proceed after reaching Vera Cruz. The Tacoma is expected at Vera Cruz Monday or Tuesday next week.

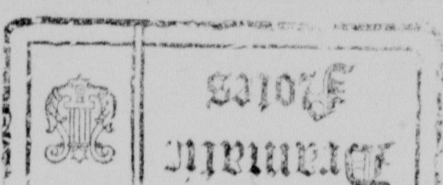
Former Ambassador Wilson called upon Secretary Bryan to say good-bye.

The state department has been requested by Senator Sherman to locate in Mexico Homer C. Cohen and family and grant them protection to the American border. Upon the receipt of a letter from James T. Cohen of Olney Senator Sherman at once placed the facts before the department.

Troops Release American.

El Paso, Tex., Aug. 12.—James Gillespie, an American cattleman, who was held for a ransom of \$5,000 by Villa, has been liberated. A troop of United States cavalry went to the border, where Gillespie was to be delivered upon the payment of the ransom. A demand was made of his delivery and the Mexicans, becoming frightened at the presence of the cavalry, shoved him across the line.

Mrs. S. E. Jones of Compton was here today.



## FAMILY THEATRE

Madame Gertrude, the World's Greatest Seeress, will open her engagement today and remain all week. A special matinee will be given for ladies only on Friday afternoon, no children or men allowed to attend this performance. It is meant for special questions ladies wish to ask Madame Gertrude and not be heard by anyone of the male sex; it will be strictly a private performance for ladies only. Patrons are invited to ask questions during any performance and as many of them will be answered as time allows. This is an extraordinary engagement of Madame Gertrude and at which conclusion this act is booked to sail to Europe and appear in England and all principal cities of Europe.

OLD FORT BUILT BY RUSSIANS

Archeologist's Explanation of Ruins of Building on the Northern Coast of California.

Ruins of buildings on the old Weske ranch, near Windsor and about thirteen miles north of Santa Rosa, Cal., hitherto unexplained, now are thought to be the work of people of mechanical skill, probably Russians, who erected the buildings 100 years or more ago.

That the edifices were not the work of the Spaniards is taken for granted, as the history of this country under Spanish rule is sufficiently complete to give assurance that some record of the construction of the buildings would have been left.

The construction is too exact to have been the work of the Indian races and local investigators have decided that the ruins are those of a large fort or fortified settlement built by Russians early in the last century. The ruins have the appearance of being parts of a once massive fortification. In one place there stands a part of the wall, twenty feet in height, thirty feet long, thirty feet thick at the ground and tapering to a width of ten feet. It is built of basalt slabs about twenty feet in length and irregular prismatic shape.

Nurse's Mistake Kills Baby.

Chicago, Aug. 12.—Mrs. Sarah Leviski, 1243 South Kedzie avenue, was bereft of her newly-born son when a nurse in the Maimonides Koshers hospital bathed the little body in carbolic acid instead of alcohol.

Way of the World.

The poor man, penniless, friendless, was starving.

Rather than that, he cast himself in the river to drown.

A passerby, seeing the poor man in the water drowning, plunged in, swam to him, and brought him, almost in his last gasp, ashore.

There waiting hands labored with the poor man and at last brought him back to life.

Then they congratulated the poor man on there having been help at hand to save him from a watery grave.

And making up a purse for the brave fellow who had thus gone to the poor man's rescue, he and they went their ways.

And the poor man starved.—Brown-ing's Magazine.

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## WEST BROOKLYN

William Turner's folks were delivering apples in town from Shabbona on Friday morning.

Julius Delhotal was a business visitor in town on Friday.

It is good to be sure but it is better to be insured in the companies represented by the Gehant Insurance Agency of West Brooklyn; Ill. Their many millions of assets is a liberal guarantee that your losses will be promptly paid.

Michael Barr motored over from Compton on business affairs Friday morning.

The Forsters are asked to give consideration to the meeting of their court on Thursday night August 14 and attend.

Joseph B. Bauer was transacting business in our city on Friday morning.

Thursday night's rain prevented an early start with the threshing Friday morning so many of the folks were in from the farm doing their week's shopping.

William Campbell took the morning passenger for Mendota on Friday to spend a few days with friend and acquaintances.

George Halkoth of South Brooklyn was seen on our streets Friday morning.

George Brewer of the Berg delivered Sweet Corn to our towns people on Friday morning. The people always like to see George come with such good things to eat.

And still the people cannot help but remark "Doesn't that oil on the streets keep them nice. They are even better than pavement, both for carriages and autos and the horses feet and are never dusty nor muddy." The last improvement, the new hitching posts, are now attracting much attention and drawing much praise from the farmers especially.

The Patent News, a publication in Washington, D. C. in its last issue has the following to say regarding one of our citizens and which is quite complimentary of his inventive genius. Accompanying the write-up is our only regret that we are not in possession of the cut at this time to show the new idea the

same as it is reproduced in the Patent News. The article follows:

Mr. H. W. Gehant of West Brooklyn, Ill., has made a certain improvement in extension cuffs for the tops of boots. This invention is an example of what can be done by young men who are of an observing disposition and its object is to provide an extension cuff adapted to be attached or otherwise fastened to the upper portion of a boot leg and provided also with a draw string for tightening the cuff about the leg of the wearer in order to prevent foreign matter, such as water or the like from overflowing the top of the boots. Mr. Gehant is a rural letter carrier by occupation and made his invention in order to keep his own boots in good condition in high water, which act of precaution resulted in his devising this improvement which will, it is believed, result in the general use of his invention.

Henry Hildmann and M. J. Haas are out at the A. G. Frakes farm this week erecting his corn crib and granary which was destroyed by the cyclone last spring. Mr. Frakes loss is total as the insurance company absolutely refused to pay his loss at all claiming some justifiable excuse through a little technicality. The company who insured Mr. Frakes is pretty well known in that vicinity as they have agencies in other towns but none in West Brooklyn. An insurance company with sufficient assets generally do not justify themselves through some little pretext to avoid the payment of a loss but look more to the merit of the insured in every case.

Highway Commissioner, F. E. Halsey, of Viola township was a business visitor in West Brooklyn on Friday morning.

Henry P. Gehant in company with William Bittner and Frank Biers went to Chicago and the neighborhood towns a couple of days this week. While away they visited with A. H. Lauer who has left Sublette and is now located at Des Plaines. He is in the real estate and insurance business and likes the change very well. Des Plaines is but fifteen miles from Chicago.

Arthur Burley motored over from Compton on Friday morning.

George Kessle transacted business in our village on Thursday.

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Mrs. Peter Blackburn came to town from Harmon on Friday morning to visit her daughter Mrs. Oliver L. Gehant, and was very much pleased to find her doing so well since the removal of her tonsils at the Chandler hospital on last Tuesday. Mrs. Gehant's tonsils had become submerged into her neck and their removal was necessary both on account of her hearing and for the use of her vocal organs.

John Thompson was in town from Compton on Friday morning.

Andrew Little spent the forenoon of Wednesday in our city with his many friends and acquaintances.

Lost. An auto curtain belonging to the right side of a Ford car. The finder will confer a great favor by returning the same to Mr. Harry Christence.

Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Oester returned home on Thursday from Aurora where they had been visiting during their vacation with Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Oester and other friends and acquaintances. They were accompanied by John R. Oester of Sublette and William Auchstetter of our city driving across country from Mendota.

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F. H. Delhotal drove to Mendota on Saturday where he delivered a fine horse which he sold to the buyers there.

Laurent Gehant and family motored to Steward on last Sunday and were the guests of Mrs. Sarah Henry and family.

John M. Bittner was in town transacting business on Saturday morning.

G. L. Nelles went to Dixon on Friday morning to arrange some minor affairs at his house to where he will remove at an early date.

George H. Clark was in town on business Saturday forenoon.

Edward Henry and family and J. G. Conschack motored to Odell Sunday afternoon and visited with friends. While there they met J. B. Mettelle and had a pleasant chat with him.

John C. Henkel had a valuable cow killed by the lightning during the electrical storm on Thursday night. We are told also that Robert Haack living near Amboy and from

erally of West Brooklyn had the barn on his farm struck by the lightning and burned to the ground together with a stack of straw standing nearby.

The Lee County Fair book for 1913 is out and announces the fair at Amboy on September 16, 17, 18, 19th. In this book appear advertisements of the following firms from West Brooklyn: F. W. Meyer, proprietor of West Brooklyn's largest store; M. J. Bieschke, proprietor of the modern in every respect general store; Henry A. Bernardin of the local lumber yards and furniture store; West Brooklyn Garage, Edward Henry prop.; Chas. F. Guffin, grain, coal and ground feed; and Henry P. Gehant Banking Co. On Wednesday Sept. 17th the second day of the fair the West Brooklyn Cornet Band will furnish the music for the days program and therefore it is the signal for all local enthusiasts to make the 17th the day for West Brooklyn. It is our prediction that a big attendance will be on hand that day to make a most creditable showing for our town, thereby signifying to the Fair association the appreciation of our towns people for the part in the days program that the local band will be taking.

## ASHTON NEWS

Ashton Aug. 11—Del Clark has sold his home to John P. Schaffer. Mr. Clark has lived in this house several years and we understand the consideration was \$5000. It is a beautiful location.

Mrs. Frank Krug is spending two weeks in Dixon taking treatments for her health.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hunt and daughter Eva motored to Dixon on Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Oliver W. Griffith to hear Newell Dwight Hillis.

Miss Frances Allen, who formerly was instructor in music in the local school, came out from Chicago Saturday to spend several days. She is studying music in Chicago this summer and this fall will teach in Kansas City.

Mrs. Chris Kliebe went to Belvidere Saturday.

John Ventler has moved his barn from north of his home to east of it. He is building a corn crib 28x40 with an oat bin overhead.

Miss Molly Utz spent several days in Franklin.

Miss Nellie Griffith returned Sunday from a week's camp at the Dixon Assembly with her sister, Mrs. W. E. Trein.

Marcus and Henry Gonnerman and Miss Gonnerman came today to attend the funeral of the late Peter Eisenberg.

Mrs. G. A. Hamel and son Owen spent last week at the Assembly in Dixon.

Mrs. Katherine Meister and daughter, Mrs. John Walters, spent last week at the Bremmer cottage at the Assembly.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Leslie are living in a cottage on the camp grounds while he is teaming in Franklin Grove.

Miss Edna Crum will play the violin Saturday afternoon and evening and evening at the Franklin Grove chautauqua.

Mr. and Mrs. Caspar Krug came from Dixon Saturday on account of the death of her uncle, Peter Eisenberg, on Friday.

The funeral of Peter Eisenberg took place at 10 a. m. today at the home and at 10:30 at the Evangelical church. Rev. Geo. Walters, the pastor, conducted the services. The body was laid to rest in Bradford cemetery. Mr. Eisenberg had a host of friends who will mourn his departure.

Ashton was visited by a severe electrical storm Saturday. Every phone but three was put out of commission. The electric lights were also rendered useless. The Clifford Knapp home was struck by lightning and plaster was knocked from the walls and the house filled with smoke. Lightning also struck the elevator, but did little damage.

Mrs. Amherst Hodges and Miss Oakes of Rochelle visited the former's sister, Miss Mary Shoemaker, from Friday until today.

No work was done this morning at the school building on account of rain.

Mr. and Mrs. August Klingebiel motored to Dixon Saturday with G. A. Hamel.

The carload of fine stone for the road in front of the school building has arrived and is being hauled to the road today.

Mrs. Wesley Gilbert was a week end visitor at the Assembly hotel in

Dixon.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee came Saturday to visit at the home of her mother, Mrs. Eisenberg. Mrs. Lee was formerly Anna Eisenberg.

Jacob Wagner of Dixon was here today to attend the funeral of Peter Eisenberg.

Mrs. J. C. Griffith and children and Mr. and Mrs. George Kersten and children returned from the Assembly today.

Mrs. John Andrus will entertain the Ladies' Aid on Wednesday after noon.

Mrs. Adam Krug received a large number of postals on her birthday last week.

## NELSON

Nelson, Aug. 12—Fred Onken was home Sunday.

Miss Elsinia Geoffroy of Sterling was a guest of Miss Velma Stitzel a few days.

Mrs. John Ortgiesen and daughter, Miss Tina, spent Sunday in Chicago.

Mrs. Arthur Wareham of Freeport was the guest of her sister, Ms. W. M. Phillips, a couple of days last week.

Mrs. G. G. Stewart attended the Assembly in Dixon.

Mrs. Matthews and children of Chicago, who have been at the Osmer Wilkins home a couple of weeks returned home Sunday.

An auto party consisting of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Hunt and four children, Mrs. Sarah Clark and Mr. and Mrs. Coville Terwilliger of DeKalb spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Fay Terwilliger.

Arthur Palmer spent the week end in Belvidere.

John Callahan moved his household goods to Rock Falls and Joan Stren and wife have moved into the Pokel house. Mr. Stren has second trick at N. Y. tower.

The directors of Nelson school have engaged as teacher Miss Hazel Donagh of Rochelle for the coming year. There will be nine months of school.

Mrs. Harry Williams of Dixon spent a few days at the Moore camp on the Phillips farm. Mr. and Mrs. James Lamb returned to Clinton on Sunday.

Lee Clayton, lever man at tower N. J., is ill and his place is being filled by Earl Stitzel.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ortgiesen entertained at dinner, Friday Misses Majorie Gardner and Ruth Kidwell of Chicago, Esther Barton of Dixon and Tina Ortgiesen and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Rubendall.

## SCARBORO

Scarboro, Aug. 10—C. F. Westphal of Sterling was in town Tuesday.

Jay Collins of Hot Springs, Ark., called on old friends in this vicinity and Steward a couple of days last week.

C. E. Wright of Aurora was here Friday.

Miss Stumma of Mendota was in town visiting her sister, Mrs. Will Schnoor.

Mrs. Roy Thompson and children of Arkadelphia, Ark., are visiting at the home of Mrs. A. E. Thompson.

W. A. Foster of Steward was here Thursday.

Miss Elsie Fisher of Pawpaw is visiting at the home of her uncle, Jacob Fisher.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Snyder are the parents of a fine baby boy born on Wednesday.

Maria Ellsworth, after spending two weeks at the Assembly, returned home Saturday.

Miss Ruth Schoenholz spent Sunday in Steward with her grandmother VanPatten.

Mrs. Thompson's two nieces, the Misses Shanks of Kansas are visiting her.

Lewis H. Ackman and L. D. Pittenger went to Kansas City the first of the week to buy two carloads of cattle each.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard of Connecticut are visiting at the H. B. Cobb home.

Miss Nellie Byrd spent Sunday in Steward with her mother.

Mrs. Bert Hunt of Maple Park was visiting near Scarboro recently.

Mrs. Van Patten, after spending a couple of weeks in Scarboro has returned to Steward.

H. Allen of Rockford was here on Tuesday.

Harold Olson has been busy at late trimming the weeds down along the cement walks in town and repairing the broken places.

## TO KEEP YOUTH

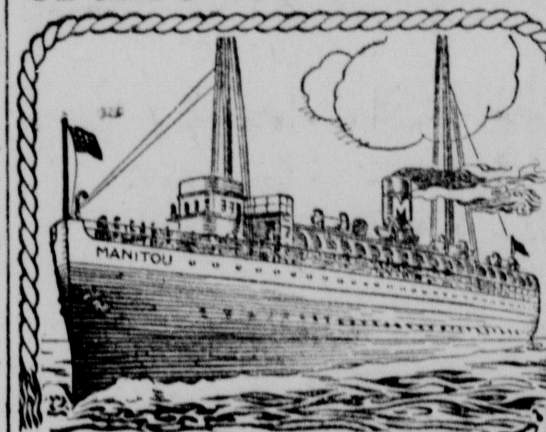
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## MONEY BILL UPHELD

GLASS' DEFENSE OF MEASURE IS APPLAUDED BY DEMOCRATS.

Says Provision Granting Issuance of Currency for Warehouse Receipts Would Aid Speculators.

Washington, Aug. 12—A vigorous defense of the administration currency bill by Representative Carter Glass, one of its authors, was received with general applause and support in the first session of the caucus of Democratic members of the house before which the measure is to be worked over and its fate determined.

Representative Glass' speech followed an unsuccessful attempt by the "insurgent" Democrats of the banking and currency committee to have the caucus thrown open to the public. Led by Representatives Neeley of Kansas and Ragsdale of South Carolina, members of the committee; Representative Henry of Texas and others, the advocates of open caucus mustered 63 votes against 119.

The currency bill was laid before the caucus by Representative Glass, as chairman of the committee, with the indorsement of 11 Democratic members. Representatives Neeley and Ragsdale and Representative Eagle of Texas withheld their approval. Mr. Glass' speech in explanation of the bill, which began as a general statement of the purposes and hopes of its sponsors, was turned into an emphatic defense of the measure when the "insurgents" insisted that it should make provision for the issuance of currency upon warehouse receipts for corn, wheat and cotton.

Speculation would receive the active support of the government, he declared, if these amendments were put into the bill. The legitimate demands

of farming communities, he said, for money to carry on ordinary farming and commercial operations were fully covered by the measure, and to make warehouse receipts for cotton or grain a legal security for the issuance of the proposed new treasury notes would furnish the means by which speculators could hold the cotton and grain crops in storage for an indefinite period.

Two Killed, 15 Hurt in Wreck. Regina, Sask., Aug. 12.—Hanby Welberg and Morton McQueen were killed and fifteen others injured, some seriously, when a construction train crashed into a string of cars at the Grand Trunk Pacific railway gravel pit, 100 miles south of here.

## JAP TORPEDO IS LOST

Mikado Offers \$1,000 Reward for Preservation of Secret.

London, Aug. 12.—Japan has offered \$1,000 reward for the recovery of a torpedo from its new battleship Kongo, which was lost on its trial trip recently off the Irish coast. According to the Pall Mall Gazette the torpedoes of the Kongo are propelled by engines worked by heated air generated by a spirit, the composition of which is the discovery of Japanese scientists, and unknown to the outside world.

## 12 CANAL WORKERS DIE

American Engineer and Eleven Others Crushed by Slide.

Panama, Aug. 12.—News of the killing of 12 men in a quarry slide at Porto Bello, east of Colon, was received here by wireless. Among the dead is Charles Nyland, an American engineer. Four bodies have been recovered and rescue parties are digging for the others. Porto Bello has been the principal source of rock supply for the canal work.

## Old common irons taken in part payment for new ELECTRIC IRONS

Until September 1st we will accept your old ordinary irons---not more than three from a customer---at a valuation of 25 cents each in credit on the purchase of

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## Northern Illinois Utilities Co.

**Abducted In Her School Days.**  
The mistress was a leading member of the village woman's club, and was particularly interested in the courses of reading and literary criticism, which were the subjects of written essays.

One day she had occasion to remind her maid-of-all-work of some shortcoming. This led to a week's notice from the latter, accompanied by the remark: "Sure, and I won't take that from the likes of you, who hasn't finished her education yet."—New York Evening Post.

#### Found His Titles Costly.

The Duke of Wellington was Prince of Waterloo, though he never called himself so, and had many other titles, for which he once had to pay dear. He told a man to order dinner for him at a particular hotel, and the man did so, mentioning all the duke's titles. Presently the duke came and waited a long time. "Is the dinner not coming?" he asked. "Why don't you bring the dinner?" "We are waiting," replied the waiter, "for the rest of the party." They had prepared dinner for about twenty people.

#### SPECIAL ASSESSMENT NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given to all persons interested that the City of Dixon has by LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ORDINANCE NO. 154, SERIES OF 1913, passed by the Council of said City of Dixon on the 7th day of July, A. D. 1913, and approved by the Mayor of said City on the 7th day of July, A. D. 1913, ordered the construction of Vitrified Brick or Block Pavement on Commercial Alley and Peoria Avenue, and Portland Cement Concrete Waterway and Pavement on Highland Avenue, and Cement Concrete Curbing in Peoria and Highland Avenues in the City of Dixon, County of Lee, and State of Illinois.

That said ordinance is now on file in the office of the City Clerk of said City of Dixon; that application has been made in the County Court of Lee County, Illinois, for an assessment of the cost of said improvement according to the benefits as provided by law and said ordinance; that an assessment therefor has been made and returned to said court and that the final hearing thereon will be had before the said court in the County Court Room in the Court House in Dixon, in said Lee County, Illinois, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, on Monday, the 8th day of September, A. D. 1913, or as soon thereafter as the business of said court will permit.

All persons desiring may file objections to said assessment in said court before said time and may appear at said hearing and make defense.

Said assessment is payable in ten (10) annual installments and all installments bear interest at the rate of five (5) per centum per annum, according to law, until paid.

Dated at Dixon, Illinois, this 12th day of August, A. D. 1913.

A. H. HANNEKEN,  
Commissioner.

#### NOTICE.

Inviting proposals for furnishing motor fire apparatus including fire truck, motor combination chemical engine and hose wagon and all other necessary equipment.

Notice is hereby given that the City of Dixon will receive proposals for the furnishing of motor fire apparatus including fire truck, motor combination chemical engine and hose wagon and all other necessary equipment at the office of the Mayor of said City of Dixon in the City Hall in the City of Dixon, County of Lee and State of Illinois, up to Wednesday, the 3rd day of September, A. D. 1913, at the hour of two o'clock p. m., at which time and place the Mayor of said City will open said proposals and publicly declare the same.

All bids shall be sealed, and opened by the Mayor in the presence of a majority of the Council and shall remain on file in the Mayor's Office and be open to public inspection for at least forty-eight hours before an award of said contract is made to any competitive bidder.

The Council shall determine the most advantageous bid for the City and shall enter into a contract with the responsible party submitting the most secure bid.

The bidders in their proposals shall submit complete specifications of their fire apparatus and equipment bid on, and the price therefor for a City of Dixon, Illinois. All such proposals shall be made on the best and latest standard type of the kind or make of fire apparatus and equipment proposed by such bidder.

Such guarantee or guarantees as may be determined upon by the Council of said City of Dixon shall be embodied in the contract of purchase when entered into between the City of Dixon and the seller. The Council of the City of Dixon reserves the right at all times to reject any and all proposals submitted. All proposals submitted shall be properly endorsed "Proposals for Fire Truck" and addressed to Martin J. Gannon, Commissioner of Public Health and Safety, Dixon, Illinois.

Dated July 30, A. D. 1913.  
Signed, COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DIXON.

By MARTIN J. GANNON,  
Commissioner of Public Health and Safety.

#### CLEANING CRASH AND LINEN

Use of Gasolene, Instead of Tubbing, Will Prevent All Shrinkage of This Comfortable Material.

One objection made to crash suits when they appeared in force this summer was that they shrank. They do if you give them a chance, but that is about the only objection you can find against them. They wear well, they are smart looking, they keep their shape, they are cool and comfortable. In fact, they are everything that a summer suit should be. But they do shrink when they are washed.

Therefore, don't wash them. That is to say, don't wash them in water. Use gasolene. Have plenty of this cleaning fluid. It is 30 or 40 cents a gallon and a gallon is enough to clean a whole suit. But don't skimp to do so, think how much the professional cleaner would charge to clean the suit, or else think what a disappointment it would have been if you had sent the suit to the laundry and it had come back to you just about big enough to fit the kitten.

Don't try to clean with gasolene a crash suit that has been once to the laundry. It will be already shrunk, and moreover, gasolene does not always clean satisfactorily material that has been washed in soap and water.

To clean the crash suit immerse it in gasolene. Then rub the most soiled parts—the hem, the collar and cuffs and the front gore of the skirt. Rub them between the hands briskly. Then immerse the suit again in the gasolene and then hang it on a hanger to dry. Don't wring the gasolene out, but hang the suit up wet. The next day, after the gasolene has had time to evaporate, press the suit. The coat will need very little pressing, and this is another reason why gasolene washing is better than soap and water washing for a coat suit; it is almost impossible, even for an expert laundress, to iron a coat satisfactorily.

Clean linen suits in the same way.

#### DRESS HAIR TO SUIT FACE

While Prevailing Styles May Be Followed, Individuality Is Always to Be Considered.

There are some women who remain true to the parting in the middle of the hair, but the many prefer the parting on the side. The forehead is entirely covered, as are the ears, and there is no bulge anywhere over the surface of the head. The flatter the better. This is the fashion. Every individual must modify it to suit her head and her face, for it is martistic and foolish to follow any fashion without regard to your personal appearance.

If a parting is not becoming, then omit it and draw the hair softly back. If one's eyes are at their worst to the eyebrows, then it must be lifted.

The main mistake that nearly every woman makes in arranging her hair according to the new fashion is in running it down in a bias line from the middle of the forehead to the lobe of the ear. It was this line on each side of the temples that contributed to the hideousness of the 1865 coiffure.

Women who take the time and trouble to study their faces never use this line. You will notice that they make it as regular as though it were carefully scalloped across the brow and temples. They give it an inward curve at the end of each eyebrow and then bring it out in front of each ear.

This line is as old as art itself and can be seen on any of the famous pictures and statues. It is not Grecian in its strictest sense, but it is classic. Of course the outward swerve in front of the ears is highly exaggerated by some women and an eccentric effect is produced, but that does not destroy the fundamental beauty of this line, properly drawn.

#### IN GRAY NET



Here is a simple design in gray net patterned in silver circles. The fichu is of gray nylon fastened with a pink silk rose with black velvet leaves.

#### Wrap for Traveling.

A military cape is the newest cloak for traveling. It is comfortable and smart at the same time and can be worn over a gown, a suit or even a flimsy, a suit or even a flimsy evening toilette. In cadet blue lined in scarlet and with a gleam of brass buttons, it is truly dashing.

#### NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Sealed proposals addressed to the Board of Local Improvements and the Council of the City of Dixon, Lee County, Illinois, and endorsed proposals for the furnishing of the labor and materials for and the construction of Vitrified Tile Pipe Sewer with manholes, storm-water inlets and house-connection laterals, on East Everett Street, North Jefferson Avenue and East Fellows Street in the City of Dixon, Lee County, Illinois, as provided for in Local Improvement Ordinance No. 146, Series of 1913, of said City of Dixon will be received by the Board of Local Improvements and the Council of the City of Dixon, Lee County, Illinois, at the City Clerk's Office in said City of Dixon, until two o'clock in the afternoon on Monday, August 11th, A. D. 1913, and will be publicly opened by the Mayor of said City of Dixon (who is President of said Board of Local Improvements) at a joint meeting of said Council and Board of Local Improvements to be held in the Council Chambers, in the City Hall in said City of Dixon at two o'clock in the afternoon on said day. Said bids will be opened by the Mayor in the presence of a majority of the Council and shall remain on file in the Mayor's Office and be open to public inspection for at least forty-eight hours before an award of said contract is made to any competitive bidder. After the expiration of forty-eight hours, as above stated, said Council and Board of Local Improvements shall meet in joint session and determine the most advantageous bid for the City and publicly declare the same.

The work for which said tenders are invited is the construction of about 1911.5 cubic yards of excavation and backfill; about 975 linear feet of 8" sewer pipe (laid); about 162 linear feet of 6" house connection laterals (laid); two manholes 3 feet inside with cast iron covers and iron steps inside (complete); 1 manhole 4 feet inside with cast iron cover, iron steps inside, flushing siphon and outside lamp-hole, as provided for in Local Improvement Ordinance No. 150, Series of 1913, of the City of Dixon, Illinois.

Each bid for this work must be accompanied by certified check or cash for an amount not less than ten per cent of the aggregate of such proposals. All certified checks must be drawn on some responsible bank and must be payable to the order of the President of the Board of Local Improvements in his official capacity. No bids will be considered unless accompanied by such certified check or cash.

Said cash or certified check will be held by said Board of Local Improvements until the bids have been canvassed and the contract has been awarded and signed. The return of said checks or cash to the successful bidder being conditioned upon his appearance within fifteen days after having been notified of the award having been made to him or them, accompanied by his or their bondsmen and executing a contract with said Board of Local Improvements for the completion of the work so awarded and giving a bond satisfactory to the Board of Local Improvements and Council of the City of Dixon.

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A bond of Sixteen Hundred (1600) Dollars will be required conditioned for the fulfillment of the contract in accordance with the ordinance and specifications and to the satisfaction of the Board of Local Improvements and Council of the City of Dixon. All proposals must be made on blanks which will be furnished bidders at said City Clerk's Office.

The payment for the work for which said tenders are invited is to be made in cash or bonds, payable when the contract is complete, and the work accepted by the Board of Local Improvements and Council of the City of Dixon, bonds to draw interest at five per cent. No bid will be considered unless the party making it shall furnish evidence satisfactory to said Board of Local Improvements and Council of the City of Dixon of his experience and ability in this class of work and that he can control sufficient capital to enable him to successfully prosecute the same in case the contract shall be awarded to him.

Bidders will examine the ordinance, maps, plats, plans, profiles and specifications and also the locality in which said work is to be done and judge for themselves of all the circumstances and surrounding conditions affecting the cost and nature of the work.

Specifications are on file in the Mayor's Office and may also be seen at the office of the City Clerk of the City of Dixon from and after this date.

The Board of Local Improvements reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Dated at Dixon, Illinois, July 30th, A. D. 1913.  
Signed, THE COUNCIL AND BOARD OF LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS OF THE CITY OF DIXON.

By MARK C. KELLER,  
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#### NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Sealed proposals addressed to the Board of Local Improvements and the Council of the City of Dixon, Lee County, Illinois, and endorsed proposals for the furnishing of the labor and materials for and the construction of vitrified tile pipe sewer with manholes, flushing tank and house connection laterals, to one foot inside curb lines in front of each lot or tract of land to be assessed in East Everett Street, from the manhole heretofore constructed in North Ottawa Avenue to a point 200 feet east of North Dixon Avenue, in the

City of Dixon, County of Lee and State of Illinois, as provided for in Local Improvement Ordinance No. 150, Series of 1913, of said City of Dixon will be received by the Board of Local Improvements and the Council of the City of Dixon, at the City Clerk's Office in said City of Dixon, until two o'clock in the afternoon on Monday, August 11th, A. D. 1913, and will be publicly opened by the Mayor of said City of Dixon (who is President of said Board of Local Improvements) at a joint meeting of said Council and Board of Local Improvements to be held in the Council Chambers, in the City Hall in said City of Dixon at two o'clock in the afternoon on said day. Said bids will be opened by the Mayor in the presence of a majority of the Council and shall remain on file in the Mayor's Office and be open to public inspection for at least forty-eight hours before an award of said contract is made to any competitive bidder. After the expiration of forty-eight hours, as above stated, said Council and Board of Local Improvements shall meet in joint session and determine the most advantageous bid for the City and publicly declare the same.

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Each bid for this work must be accompanied by certified check or cash for an amount not less than ten per cent of the aggregate of such proposals. All certified checks must be drawn on some responsible bank and must be payable to the order of the President of the Board of Local Improvements in his official capacity. No bids will be considered unless accompanied by such certified check or cash.

Said cash or certified check will be held by said Board of Local Improvements until the bids have been canvassed and the contract has been awarded and signed. The return of said checks or cash to the successful bidder being conditioned upon his appearance within fifteen days after having been notified of the award having been made to him or them, accompanied by his or their bondsmen and executing a contract with said Board of Local Improvements for the completion of the work so awarded and giving a bond satisfactory to the Board of Local Improvements and Council of the City of Dixon.

A bond of \$1000 will be required conditioned for the fulfillment of the contract in accordance with the ordinance and specifications and to the satisfaction of the Board of Local Improvements and Council of the City of Dixon. All proposals must be made on blanks which will be furnished bidders at said City Clerk's Office.

The payment for the work for which said tenders are invited is to be made in cash or bonds, payable when the contract is complete, and the work accepted by the Board of Local Improvements and Council of the City of Dixon, bonds to draw interest at five per cent. No bid will be considered unless the party making it shall furnish evidence satisfactory to said Board of Local Improvements and Council of the City of Dixon of his experience and ability in this class of work and that he can control sufficient capital to enable him to successfully prosecute the same in case the contract shall be awarded to him.

Bidders will examine the ordinance, maps, plats, plans, profiles and specifications and also the locality in which said work is to be done and judge for themselves of all the circumstances and surrounding conditions affecting the cost and nature of the work.

Specifications are on file in the Mayor's Office and may also be seen at the office of the City Clerk of the City of Dixon from and after this date.

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"Miracle" Quickly Explained.

A good-natured curate, who firmly believed that God was continually working miracles to enable him to help the needy, and who seldom had a coin in his pocket, was accosted one day by a beggar woman. He pleaded utter lack of money, but on the mendicant beseeching him to search his pockets he hopefully put his hand in one, and to his amazement and joy found a five-shilling piece there. "Another of God's miracles!" he exclaimed; and then, addressing the woman: "This coin belongs to you of right. Take it and go in peace."

Having told the story a few hours later to his worldly minded parish priest, and suggested that they should both go down on their knees and render thanks to God, a strange, unpleasant light suddenly broke on the mind of the shrewd pastor, who exclaimed: "Good heavens! Are those my breeches that you've on you?"

Which He Rose to Remark.

They were at the grocery, all with recollections of many a shocking case of tremendous weather to recount, and none was left out. Then one ancient rose and said:

"In seventeen hundred an—"

But they cut in on him there, and told him they wouldn't do it if they was him, 'cause see how all-swizzlin' old it make him, they said. But the ancient pushed his specs up on his forehead and went right on:

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That the work for which said tenders are invited is the construction of about 1375.6 cubic yards of excavation, about 74 cubic yards of rock excavation, about 1080 linear feet of 12" sewer pipe (laid), about 260 linear feet of 10" sewer pipe (laid), about 235 linear feet of 8" sewer pipe (laid), about 650 linear feet of 6" sewer pipe (laid); One (1) lamp-hole, complete with C. I. cover; Six (6) manholes, complete with C. I. covers and gutter inverts, and Six (6) cement headers at inlets as provided for in Local Improvement Ordinance No. 143, Series of 1913, of the City of Dixon, Illinois.

Each bid for this work must be accompanied by certified check or cash for an amount not less than ten per cent of the aggregate of such proposals. All certified checks must be drawn upon some responsible bank and must be payable to the order of the President of the Board of Local Improvements in his official capacity. No bids will be considered unless accompanied by such certified check or cash.

Said cash or certified check will be held by said Board of Local Improvements until the bids have been canvassed and the contract has been awarded and signed. The return of said checks or cash to the successful bidder being conditioned upon his appearance within fifteen (15) days after having been notified of the award having been made to him or them, accompanied by his or their bondsmen and executing a contract with said Board of Local Improvements for the completion of the work so awarded and giving a bond satisfactory to the Board of Local Improvements and the Council of the City of Dixon.

A bond of Two Thousand (2,000) Dollars will be required conditioned for the fulfillment of the contract in accordance with the ordinance and specifications and to the satisfaction of the said Board of Local Improvements and Council of the City of Dixon. All proposals must be made on blanks which will be furnished bidders at said City Clerk's Office.

The payment for the work for which said tenders are invited is to be made in cash or bonds, payable when the contract is complete, and the work accepted by the Board of Local Improvements and Council of the City of Dixon, bonds to draw interest at five per cent. No bid will be considered unless the party making it shall furnish evidence satisfactory to said Board of Local Improvements and Council of the City of Dixon of his experience and ability in this class of work and that he can control sufficient capital to enable him to successfully prosecute the same in case the contract shall be awarded to him.

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That said ordinance is now on file in the office of the City Clerk of said City of Dixon; that application has been made to the County Court of Lee County, Illinois, for an assessment of the cost of said improvement according to the benefits as provided by law and said ordinance; that an assessment therefor has been made and returned to said Court, and that the final hearing thereon will be had before the said Court in the County Court Room in the Court House in Dixon, in said Lee County, Illinois, at nine o'clock in the forenoon on Monday, the 8th day of September, A. D. 1913, or as soon thereafter as the business of said court will permit.

All persons desiring may file objections to said assessment in said court before said time and may appear at said hearing and make defense.

Said assessment is payable in Four (4) annual installments and all installments bear interest at the rate of Five (5) per centum per annum, according to law, until paid.

Dated at Dixon, Illinois, this 12th day of August, A. D. 1913.

BLAKE GROVER,  
Commissioner.

#### MASTER-IN-CHANCERY SALE.

Public notice is hereby given that under and by virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court in and for the County of Lee and State of Illinois, made and entered on the 11th day of August, 1913, in a certain cause therein pending wherein William H. Collins and others were complainants and William E. Perkins and others were defendants, Partition No. 2386, I, the undersigned Master in Chancery of said court will, at the hour of one o'clock in the afternoon on Monday the 15th day of September, 1913, at the north door of the Court House in the City of Dixon in said county, sell at public auction to the highest bidder or bidders, on the terms hereinafter mentioned, the following described premises, to-wit:

All of Section Eight (8) in Township Nineteen (19) North of Range Eight (8) East of the Fourth Principal Meridian, in the County of Lee and State of Illinois, Subject, however, to the general taxes for the year 1913 assessed against said premises, and also subject to the present leasehold interest held by the defendant, James F. Miller, as shown by the decree of partition in said cause of date February 4th, 1913, and whose tenancy expires March 1st, 1914; the purchaser or purchasers to take all accrued rents, issues and profits arising from said premises after the date of said sale.

Term of Sale: Ten per cent of the entire amount of said bid or bids cash in hand on day of sale; the remainder of said bid or bids as and for purchase money to be paid upon confirmation of said sale by the court, or within thirty days thereafter.

Dated at Dixon, Ill., this 12th day of August, 1913.

ABALINO C. BARDWELL,  
Master in Chancery.  
Masters & Masters,  
Sols. for Compls.

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Cleveland, Ohio

# CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS

MAN WANTS BUT LITTLE HERE BELOW  
 THAT HE CANNOT GET BY ADVERTISING

## Want Ad Rates

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY ADS  
 FOUND ON PAGE TWO

25 Words or Less, 3 Times ... 25c  
 25 Words or Less, 6 Times ... 50c  
 More Than 25 Words, Pro Rate  
 25 Words or Less 26 Times ... \$1.50

Ads in this column must positively be paid for IN ADVANCE. Money Orders, Checks or Stamps must be enclosed in order by mail.

A LITTLE "CAMPAIGN" OF WANT ADVERTISING IN THE TELEGRAPH WILL SHORTEN AND CHEAPEN YOUR SEARCH FOR A PURCHASER!

A man who wants to buy a horse or a vehicle, or used furniture, machinery or office furniture will look in our Classified Ads—He is eager to find the very best possible BARGAIN

Your ad, if you have something to sell, will find readers awaiting it who want to buy—and who will investigate your offer, if it looks at all feasible

## WANTED

WANTED. By a woman, day work, sweeping and cleaning. Call Mrs. Mary Schmidt, 52 E. 3rd St., Dixon, Ill. 40tf

Put your monthly bills into the hands of Miss Anna Carson, 1209 W. Fourth St., who makes a business of collecting accounts and who can give references from the leading business firms in our city. 55tf

WANTED. An old fashioned sewing table with drop leaves, or a deal table. Address R, this office. 2tf

WANTED. House painting and paper hanging. Fred Fuellsack, 427 Broadway. Phone 14304. 49tf

WANTED. Washing to do at my home, or will go out. Call at 619 Nachusa Ave. or this office. 63.6f

LEARN BARBER TRADE. Write for catalogue. Tri-City Barber College, 204 E. 2nd St., Davenport, Ia. 67 1m

WANTED. Highest market price paid for all kinds of junk, old iron, rags, rubber, metal, also hides and wool. Trading direct with us means more money for your goods. Call 413 for your orders. Rubenstein & Simmons, 114-118 River Street, Dixon, Ill. 185 m1

WANTED. Ladies to know that I do first class work in shampoo, manicuring, facial and scalp massaging at my Beauty Parlors. Miss Libbie Blackburn, over City National Bank. 185 m1

WANTED. Laundry work or plain sewing. Apply at No. 404 S. Hennepin Ave. f 84tf

WANTED. A wood turner. Roper Furniture Co. 87 3

WANTED. A couple of good machine men and a couple of young boys. Roper Furniture Co. 87 3

WANTED. Men to learn the molding trade. Good wages to start and in three months good men can make from \$3 to \$4 per day. Stover Mfg. Co., Freeport, Ill. 188 24

SATURATION WANTED. Good book-keeper has spare time to keep small set. Very reasonable. Good references. Apply J., this office. 88 3\*

WANTED. Girls to learn the tailoring trade. Also wanted, an experienced dressmaker. Good wages; steady employment. Call at Kahn's Tailor Shop, West First St. 88 3\*

WANTED. 2 experienced salesladies. Apply to Rubenstein & Co., Baker Bldg., Galena Ave. 89 3

WANTED. Girls for corset work. Good wages and steady employment. Apply at once. H. W. Gossard Co. 89 3

WANTED. 2 or 3 furnished rooms

for light housekeeping, at once. Address W. L. D., this office. 89 3.

## FOR SALE

FOR SALE. I have a farm of 280 acres of grass land situated in the swamp drainage district of Juneau County, Wisconsin. I want a man with family to go on the land. This man must have stock and tools to work the farm. For such a man I will have the land fenced, the sod broken out, put up a house, barn and other outbuildings, put down well, etc., and give him the option of purchasing the farm at a reasonable price with payments to suit. This land is all good black soil and inexhaustibly rich. Produces from two to four tons of timothy hay to the acre and will grow corn, wheat, oats and all kinds of farm produce. H. L. FORDHAM, Dixon, Ill. 84 6

FOR SALE. If you are looking for a good farm in N. Dak., write me. I have just what you want. Price right. E. A. Wadsworth, Langdon, N. Dak. 58tf

FOR SALE. Iron bed, good springs, felt mattress, sanitary couch with new pad, and two tables. Will sell cheap. H. Scott, 509 Ottawa Ave. 86 3\*

FOR SALE. \$125 cash buys a 2-passenger Ford auto this week. Has just been overhauled and in good running order. 715 Lincoln Ave. 89 3\*

Do you wish to buy a new adding machine cheap? If so, call the Telegraph, No. 5, for particulars. 20tf

FOR SALE. All of the Michael Jordan, North Dixon, property. This includes the beautiful homestead. For further information enquire of Harry C. Warner or Mrs. M. Jordan, 420 N. Dement Ave., Dixon. 66m1

FOR SALE. My modern residence at 404 Second St., one block south of Utilities office. Enquire of Mrs. D. D. Decker. 86tf

FOR SALE. 1 1-4 acres of splendid black soil, good garden spot, in Bardwell Add, West End. Price \$230. Enquire of Mrs. Eustace Shaw, Telephone 992 or No. 5, 156 Bluff Park. 53t

FOR SALE. For Rent cards and Furnished Rooms cards. Price 10c each, at the Evening Telegraph Office. 20tf

FOR SALE CHEAP. Dakota land. E. A. Wadsworth, Langdon, N. D. 55tf

FOR SALE. White paper for the picnic supper table. 1c a sheet at this office.

FOR SALE. 40 acres irrigated land in Colorado, Barr Lake Valley near Brighton and 18 miles from Denver. Mrs. Lillian Morse, 925 S Alvarado St., Los Angeles, Calif. 53tf

FOR SALE. 40 acres irrigated land and house near Brighton, Colorado, 18 miles from Denver. For particulars, Mrs. Lillian Morse, 925 S Alvarado St., Los Angeles, Calif. 53tf

FOR SALE. Lot 1, Blk. 20, Gilmore's Add, to Amboy. Enquire of D. M. Fahrney, Dixon, Ill. 71tf

FOR SALE. Lots near N. W. station. Enquire of D. M. Fahrney, Dixon. 71tf

FOR SALE. Boat house. Enquire of John Emory, 1503 W. First St. 78tf

FOR SALE. Lot 1, block 20, Gilman's add, to Amboy. Enquire of Mrs. Eustace Shaw, Dixon, Ill.

POTATOES. Car Early Ohio just received. Bowser Fruit Store, 92 Hennepin Ave. Phone 933. 89 3

FOR SALE. Whitney No. 29 apples. 15c a peck or 50c a bushel. Picked fresh from the trees. 630 North Jefferson Ave. 89 6\*

WANTED. Young man wants work on a farm. Call phone 8300. 89 3\*

stoves, Matthew Keenan, 509 Ottawa Ave. 89 3\*

FOR SALE. Lots 7 8 9 10, blk 22 Dement's addition to City of Dixon, near N. W. Depot. For further particulars enquire of Mrs. Eustace Shaw, Tel. No. 5. 72 tf

FOR SALE or exchange 4 acres of good fruit land in Oregon. Geo. A. Anderson. Phone 405, Dixon, Ill. 76 6

FOR SALE. Gasoline launch at a bargain. In good condition. S. W. Eakin, 506 W. First St. 83 6

FOR SALE. The well known foot powder, Healo, the best remedy on the market for itching, tired feet. Price 25 cents. Ask any of the following druggists for it: Geo. Campbell & Son, Sterling Bros., A. H. Tilsen, Rowland Bros., Thos. Sullivan, Leake Bros. Co. 84 6

FOR SALE. Household furniture including two bedroom sets, and 58tf

## FOR RENT

FOR RENT. House north of Bishop Hotel. Enquire of Mrs. Geo. H.quires. Bluff Park. 97tf

FARM FOR RENT. 480 acres five miles from Fairdale, Walsh County, North Dakota; comfortable buildings, three good wells, telephone children transported to consolidated township high school, first class neighborhood, 400 acres in crop, balance timothy, pasture and grove. Half crop lease for one or five years to right party. Tenant must have good horses and show that he can furnish sufficient machinery, etc., to handle farm. Party with own help preferred. Will pay half of car fare to look over farm if desired. Address B. E. Groom, Langdon, N. D. 63t

## LOST

LOST. Fountain pen. Return to this office or Miss Carson, 1209 West 4th St. 82 6

## NOTICE OF AWARD

### OF CONTRACT

Public notice is hereby given that the Board of Local Improvements and Council of the City of Dixon, in the County of Lee and State of Illinois, at a joint meeting of said Board and Council held at the City Clerk's Office in the City of Dixon at two o'clock p. m., on Monday, the 11th day of August, A. D. 1913, awarded a contract for the furnishing of all material, tools, machinery and labor for, and the construction of concrete curbing and paving of the driveway portion of Third Street from the west line of Galena Avenue westerly to the west line of Douglas Avenue, in said City of Dixon as provided for in City of Dixon Local Improvement Ordinance No. 140, Series of 1912, to Rink & Schnell, Dixon, Illinois.

That said Rink & Schnell, was considered by said Board and Council to be the lowest responsible bidder who submitted a proposal to furnish all material, tools, machinery and labor for the construction of said improvement.

That the price at which said Rink & Schnell was awarded said contract is approximate quantities:

5358 linear feet of cement concrete curbing at thirty (30) cents per linear foot.

20653 square yards of vitrified brick or block pavement (Purinton), brick to test 21 per cent, at one dollar and sixty-three cents (1.63) per square yard.

The above price includes Sarcos Asphalt Filler. Should crushed stone be required in addition to the estimated amount of 1721 cubic yards, it will be furnished at one dollar and twenty-five cents (1.25) per cubic yard.

That said Board and Council will on or after August 23rd, 1913, enter

into a contract with said Rink & Schnell, to furnish all tools, material, machinery and labor for said improvement, unless the requisite number of property owners or their agents, who shall take oath that they are such owners or agents, shall within ten days after the first publication of this notice, enter into a written contract to do the whole of said work at ten (10) per centum less than the price at which the same has been awarded and commence said work within thirty days after such publication and prosecute the same with diligence.

Dated at Dixon, Illinois, this 12th day of August, A. D. 1913.

Board of Local Improvements and Council of the City of Dixon.  
 By MARK C. KELLER,  
 Their Attorney

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That said George Welch was considered by said Board and Council to be the lowest responsible bidder who submitted a proposal to furnish all material, tools, machinery and labor for the construction of said improvement.

That the prices at which said George Welch was awarded said contract is approximate quantities:

14974.3 square yards of vitrified brick or block pavement (brick to test 20 per cent) with approved asphalt filler at one and fifty-four and one-half (1.54 1/2) dollars per square yard.

For furnishing new, crushed stone one dollar and thirty-five (1.35) cents per cubic yard.

That said Board and Council will on or after the 23rd day of August, A. D. 1913, enter into a contract with the said George Welch to furnish all tools, material, machinery and labor for said improvement, unless the requisite number of property owners or their agents, shall within ten days after the first publication of this notice, enter into a written contract to do the whole of said work at ten (10) per centum less than the price at which the same has been awarded and commence said work within thirty days after such publication and prosecute the same with diligence.

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The Board of Local Improvements and Council of the City of Dixon.  
 By MARK C. KELLER,  
 Their Attorney

## The KITCHEN CABINET

LET me live in my house by the side of the road.  
 Where the race of men go by—  
 They are good, they are bad, they are weak, they are strong.  
 Wise, foolish—so am I.  
 Then why should I sit in the scorners' seat?  
 Or hurl the cynic's ban?  
 Let me live in my house by the side of the road  
 And be a friend to man.  
 —Sam Walter Foss.

## LUSCIOUS FIELD MUSHROOM.

This is the season for the full enjoyment of the inviting field mushroom; when we have plenty of rain the crop is abundant. During the months of July and August the mushrooms are more apt to be wormy than early or later in the season. It is wise to look the mushrooms over carefully

before cooking.

All fungi should be avoided when overripe or attacked by slugs. The medium in which they grow often causes a disagreeable odor and flavor. Authorities differ as to the digestibility of mushrooms, but nearly all agree that their nutritive value has been vastly exaggerated, although their popularity will continue, as their flavor and attractiveness will always be held in high esteem.

Beefsteak and mushrooms may be enjoyed by the plainest of livers if the fungi may be gathered fresh in one's own neighborhood.

Mushroom Scramble.—Saute a cupful of mushrooms cut fine in two tablespoonsful of butter with a half a dozen well beaten eggs. Cook until the egg is set, and serve on toast.

Deviled Mushrooms.—Mix a teaspoonful of mustard, a dash of cayenne, a teaspoonful of Worcestershire sauce and half a teaspoonful of paprika; cover broiled mushrooms with this mixture and serve on toast.

Broiled Mushrooms.—Put the mushrooms in a buttered broiler, cup side down; broil, then turn and put a bit of butter in each cup. Sprinkle with pepper and salt and serve as soon as the butter is melted.

Mushrooms Baked in Cream.—Prepare the mushrooms, arrange in a baking dish, season and pour over sufficient cream to cover. Sprinkle with crumbs and bake. Serve from the baking dish.

Nellie Maxwell.

HARD TO DRIVE FROM NEST

Remarkable Case of Devotion to Home Shown by Nesting Meadow Lark in Massachusetts.

An endearing trait in birds is their love of home, and the bravery with which they face danger in protecting their eggs or baby birds. They seem to become very tame at such times; not seldom a person who approaches them quietly may, after a few gentle attempts, stroke a mother bird as she broods. But it is really courage, and not enjoyment of the attention, that she displays.

An interesting example of the strong attachment of a bird to its home, as well as its adaptability to unusual circumstances, was given by a meadow lark that found itself day after day under gun-fire, and learned not to fear it.

At the practice grounds of the United States marine corps at Wakefield, Mass., some low mounds were raised on the firing line. On the front side of one of these mounds a meadow lark built its nest, and had laid its eggs when the season's practice in target shooting and skirmish drill began. The rifle of the man lying on the mound was directly over the nest, and not more than two feet above it.

At first the birds would fly away, when the firing skirmish line was still at some distance; but as the practice continued, they became accustomed to the noise. They would wait until the men came very near before flying, and would return immediately after. As the time came for the eggs to hatch, one of the birds would stay on the nest during the firing, even if a rifle were held just above her head. The marines were very careful not to disturb the little family. When the young came, they were nourished amid the smoke of battle, as it were, and finally left the nest unharmed.—Youth's Companion

## TIME TABLE.

### ILLINOIS CENTRAL RY.

Correct time of a. trains leaving Dixon that carry passengers and freight. Daily. \*Daily except Sunday.

### South Bound.

19 Local Express\* 8:18 a. m.  
 123 Southern Exp Diy 11:18 a. m.  
 131 Clinton Express\* 5:09 p. m.  
 Amboy Freight\* 8:50 a. m.

### North Bound.

132 Waterloo Exp\* 9:50 a. m.  
 24 Local Mail Diy 5:30 p. m.  
 120 Local Express\* 8:05 p. m.  
 Freeport Freight\* 12:30 p. m.

### CHICAGO & NORTHWESTERN RY.

Correct time of all passenger trains leaving Dixon. Daily except where otherwise specified:

### East Bound to Chicago.

No.	Lv. Dixon	Ar. Chicago
6	3:23 a. m.	6:45 a. m.
24	6:27 a. m.	9:05 a. m.
28	7:22 a. m.	10:30 a. m.
18	8:17 a. m.	11:00 a. m.
14	11:29 a. m.	2:15 p. m.
20	11:08 a. m. d'ly ex Sun	2:50 p. m.
4	4:07 p. m. d'ly ex Sun	7:25 p. m.
100	4:15 p. m. Sun only	7:25 p. m.
12	6:10 p. m.	8:45 p. m.
124	Local Mail Diy	5:30 p. m.
132	Waterloo Exp	9:50 a. m.

### West Bound.

No.	Lv. Chicago	Ar. Dixon
5	7:00 a. m. ex Sun	10:20 a. m.
39	7:10 a. m. Sun only	10:23 a. m.
13	10:15 a. m.	12:53 p. m.
9	12:15 p. m. d'ly ex Sun	3:34 p. m.
37	4:20 p. m.	7:26 p. m.
11	6:05 p. m.	8:40 p. m.
25	6:10 p. m.	8:57 p. m.
17	8:30 p. m.	10:55 p. m.
7	10:02 p. m.	12:36 a. m.
2	10:45 p. m.	1:57 a. m.
No. Lv. Dixon	Ar. Peoria	
801	8:35 Peoria Pas.	11:52 a. m.
	Los Angeles Limited.	

\*Stops only for passengers 69

## Rowland's Depilatory For The REMOVAL of SUPERFLUOUS HAIR

is absolutely safe and one of the best preparations of its kind on the market. It is effective and leaves the skin perfectly soft and healthful.

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## Oats Wanted

AT THE

Dixon Cereal and Feed Co.

## Windmills

Perkins - - Woodmanse

Pump Work

W. D. DREW

90 PEORIA AVE.

## MARKETS

Old potatoes	30	50
Chickens	17	20
Ducks	17	20
Turkeys	18	22
Butter	26	30
Eggs	15	19
Lard	11	15
Corn	58	63
Oats	34	37

## BOARD OF TRADE QUOTATIONS

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RICK—SHAW BLDG.

Chicago, Aug. 12, 1913

Wheat	Sept	85%	86%	85 1/2	86 1/4
Dec	89 1/4	90 1/4	89 1/4	89 3/4	
May	91 1/4	95	91 1/4	91 1/4	

Corn	Sept	71%	73	71 1/4	72 1/2
Dec	66 1/2	67 1/2	66	67 1/2	
May	68	69 1/2	67 1/2	69 1/2	

Oats	Sept	41%	42 1/4	41 1/8	42
Dec	44 1/4	44 1/8	44	44 1/4	
May	46 1/4	47%	46%	47%	

Pork	Sept	2087	2087	2047	2050
Oct	2000	2000	2000	2000	

Lard	Sept	1122	1122	1107	1117
Oct	1127	1127	1117	1126	

Ribs	Sept	1092	1100	1087S	1100
Oct	1095 <td>1100 <td>1085 <td>1100</td> </td></td>	1100 <td>1085 <td>1100</td> </td>	1085 <td>1100</td>	1100	

Hogs open steady.  
 Left over—5400.  
 Mixed—810@925.  
 Good and heavy—870@895.  
 Rough—780@850.  
 Light—895@935.

## Receipts today—

Hogs—17,000.  
 Cattle—15,000.  
 Sheep—30,000.  
 Cattle steady, Sheep weak.  
 Estimated tomorrow—28,000.

## MONEY THAT TALKS BACK

THERE'S a lot of money here and in this vicinity. Possessors of that money read this paper; they swear by it. They want to be shown. If your goods are right, they want to buy. This paper talks to that money at regular intervals. It's money that talks back and talks back strong. Get your share—do your talking through our advertising columns.

# Earl Grocery Co.

It is a'ways the best  
CHASE & SANBORN COFFEE  
Hundreds of people here drink it  
Price per pound 30c, 35c, 40c, 45c.

2 pound cans Seal Brand Mocha & Java 80c.

All our Teas are from this house, they own their own tea gardens and coffee plantations.

Largest and best Coffee and Tea house in the world.

Dixon Sole Agent

**GEO. J. DOWNING**

Two Phones 340

MRS. RICHARD LEE METCALFE



Mrs. Metcalfe, wife of the new civil governor of the Canal Zone, has joined her husband at Ancon, where they will make their official home. Mrs. Metcalfe was an Indiana girl and was married in 1885.

## The BARGAIN COUNTER

Merchants to Their Patrons

Root Beer served from the keg. Pure, delicious and has the sparkle. At Campbell's Drug Store. 52tf

Dr. Cook's books arrived today. Bring in your Coupon and 70c and get one.

Caramel Ice Cream, just a little better and different. Try it at Campbell's. 52tf

Engraved Calling Cards. Of all descriptions at the Evening Telegraph office.

Barrett Bros. Ice Cream is all that the name implies—I-C-E C-R-E-A-M. Try it, at Campbell's, and be convinced. 67tf

If you want to rent your furnished room, but a For Rent card to hang in your window. Price 10 cents, at the Telegraph office.

If you have a house or a room for rent advertise it in the Dixon Evening Telegraph for quick results. It will cost you 50c a week, or 3 times for 25c.

Healo brings quick relief to aching, tired feet. For sale by all druggists.

If you have any debts you wish collected, give them to Miss Anna Carson, public collector, 1209 West Fourth St., or telephone 1015.

Have your accounts placed with Miss Carson, public collector. First class references furnished. Miss Anna Carson, 1209 W. 4th St., or Phone 1015. 11

No toilet is complete without a box of Healo. Price 25c.

For great bargains in North Dakota lands, write E. A. Wadsworth, Langdon, N. Dak. 11

For engraved calling cards, wedding or reception invitations do not go to Chicago before you look at our new and up-to-date samples. B. F. Shaw Ptg. Co.

When you go to Lowell park for your picnic supper buy a paper table cover, 1c a sheet, for nice white paper, at the B. F. Shaw Ptg. Co.

Dr. Cook's books arrived today. Bring in your Coupon and 70c and get one.

Subscribe for the Evening Telegraph, \$3 per year by mail, or the Semi-Weekly Telegraph, \$1.50. It costs you less than postage, is much cheaper than a letter and keeps your friends posted on doings in Dixon.

You will regret it if you do not take our advice and use a box of Healo on those poor aching, weary feet. It's great.

LOOK 10 per cent discount on all bathing goods to close the line. Bathing Suits, Caps, Shoes, Garters, Water Wings, everything goes. Come early. Leake Bros. Co., 111 First St. 87tf

If you have a furnished room for rent, buy a For Rent Card. Price 10c at this office.

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A SNAP. An improved section, 1 mile from town; Barnes Co., N. Dak.; 620 acres into crop; level and best of soil; good water; 1-2 crop goes with farm if sold before harvest. For particulars Enquire of owner, R. J. Godfrey, Osage, Ia. 58 24\*

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If you are in need of letter heads, bill heads, or anything in the job printing line, call at the Evening Telegraph office.

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OF LOW SHOES

Ladies' white canvas Oxfords... 50  
Children's and misses' canvas Oxfords... 35  
1000 pairs of Women's low shoes, value \$2 to \$3.50, choice pr. \$1.25  
300 pairs ladies' fine shoes, Pin-grees and other fine makes, choice, per pair... 1.75  
500 pairs men's Oxfords in tan, patent and gun metal, Walkovers, Ral-stons, Fellow Craft, all high grades. Choice, per pair... \$1.95

## PHIL N. MARKS

### HENRY RECTOR Upholstering

Furniture repairing, refinishing  
123 E. First St. Phone 78

Strayed. A black steer weighing about 900 lbs. has been in Sam Bowers' pasture for a month. Owner can have same by paying for pasture and this ad. 82 24ues sw

## Dr. H. J. Caldwell

Specialist in Chronic Diseases

Office S. W. Cor. Peoria and First St.

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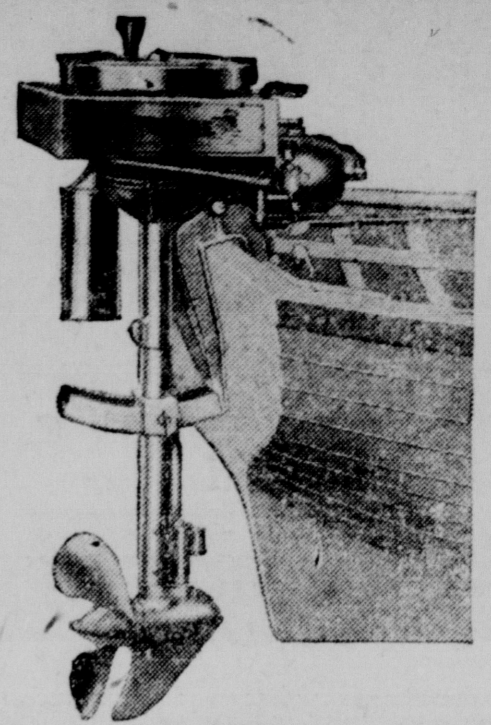
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Do not fail to get one of Dr. Cook's new books at the Telegraph office.

Fred Johnson of Nachusa was in Dixon today.

## Evenrude Row-Boat Motor



This is an exceedingly small compact 2 horse power gasoline motor which can be attached instantly to the stern of a row boat. It will drive an ordinary row boat from five to eight miles an hour depending on the model of the boat. The motor is exceedingly simple.

It makes boating a great pleasure.

See one running at our store.



## Regardless of Weather

You do a lot of worrying. It does not pay. Cut out a lot of it by using our

## CERESOTA FLOUR

It has been sold in this store for more than twenty years. Try a sack and see for yourself.

## DIXON GROCERY CO.

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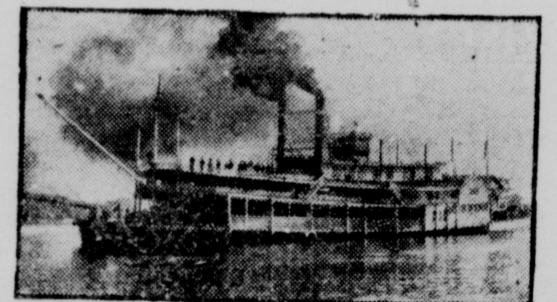
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STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

NATIONAL LEAGUE  
Clubs. W. L. P. C. Clubs. W. L. P. C.  
New York 71 32 689 Brooklyn 44 55 444  
Philadelphia 61 37 625 Boston 42 58 429  
Chicago 55 49 529 Cincinnati 41 62 394  
Pittsburgh 54 49 524 St. Louis 41 65 387

AMERICAN LEAGUE  
Philadelphia 72 33 686 Boston 50 54 481  
Cleveland 66 43 606 Detroit 46 63 423  
Washington 59 47 557 St. Louis 43 69 384  
Chicago 57 53 518 New York 35 66 347

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION  
Milwaukee 69 48 590 St. Paul 52 61 460  
Louisville 66 50 575 Toledo 53 63 452  
Minneapolis 64 52 556 Kan. City 52 64 448  
Columbus 64 53 547 Indianapolis 43 71 377

WESTERN LEAGUE  
Denver 71 40 690 Omaha 56 58 491  
Des Moines 64 47 575 Sioux City 56 60 465  
St. Joe 57 55 509 Topeka 49 61 445  
Lincoln 56 55 506 Wichita 48 70 379

THREE I LEAGUE  
Quincy 64 46 580 Decatur 53 54 496  
Dubuque 57 51 524 Springfield 53 55 491  
Davenport 53 51 519 Davenport 53 55 476  
Davenport 53 51 519 Peoria 48 64 413

CENTRAL LEAGUE  
Gd. Rapids 77 33 688 Terre Haute 52 59 468  
St. Wayne 64 47 575 Springfield 51 60 459  
Dayton 55 50 500 Cedar Rapids 42 68 382

CENTRAL ASSOCIATION  
Muscatine 58 42 580 Monmouth 48 51 465  
Ottumwa 56 41 577 Kewanee 46 55 465  
Keokuk 51 46 526 Waterloo 41 53 426  
Burlington 50 50 500 Cedar Rapids 42 68 382

WISCONSIN ILLINOIS LEAGUE  
Oshkosh 56 37 602 Green Bay 52 46 531  
Racine 52 41 559 Madison 46 53 465  
La Crosse 43 54 541 Wausau 37 59 385  
Rockford 50 42 545 Appleton 36 60 375

### Monday's Results.

NATIONAL LEAGUE  
Boston-Chicago, no game scheduled.  
Brooklyn-New York, no game scheduled.  
Philadelphia-St. Louis, no game scheduled.

Pittsburgh-1-12; Cincinnati, 5-1.  
AMERICAN LEAGUE  
Philadelphia, 8; Chicago, 5.  
New York, 6; St. Louis, 2.  
Washington, 1; Cleveland, 6.  
Boston, 2; Detroit, 6.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION  
Louisville, 9; Minneapolis, 3.  
Toledo, 4; Milwaukee, 2.  
Columbus, 6; St. Paul, 4.  
Indianapolis, 9; Kansas City, 2.

WESTERN LEAGUE  
Sioux City-Denver, rain.  
Lincoln, 4; Des Moines, 3.  
Topeka, 6; Omaha, 12.  
Wichita, 2; St. Joe, 5.

THREE I LEAGUE  
Davenport, 3; Decatur, 4 (10 innings).  
Dubuque, 8; Springfield, 4.

CENTRAL LEAGUE  
Evansville, 1; Springfield, 9.  
Grand Rapids, 3; Fort Wayne, 1.  
Dayton-Terre Haute, rain.

CENTRAL ASSOCIATION  
Burlington, 3; Cedar Rapids, 1.  
Keokuk, 12; Waterloo, 0.  
Monmouth, 5; Ottumwa, 5 (called, 10th darkness).

Kewanee, 2; Muscatine, 1.  
WISCONSIN-ILLINOIS LEAGUE  
Green Bay, 4; Appleton, 3.  
Madison, 3; Fond du Lac, 0.  
Oshkosh, 5; Wausau, 4.  
Rockford-Racine, rain.

### SUMMER RESORT IS BURNED

Two Hundred Guests Are Routed at Green Lake, Wis.

Green Lake, Wis., Aug. 12.—Panic and injury accompanied the destruction of the Sherwood Forest hotel here. Patrick Craw of Green Lake may die. John Miller also was hurt. Two hundred guests were forced to flee for their lives when the fire, the origin of which is not known, attacked the structure. The rapidity with which the flames spread caused a panic among the guests, according to those who witnessed the spectacular blaze. Craw and Miller were injured in endeavoring to extinguish the flames. The loss was \$20,000.

Herbert Kaufman Married.  
Portland, Ore., Aug. 12.—Miss Alta Rush, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Rush, of this city, and Herbert Kaufman of New York, a writer, were married quietly in New York last week. Kaufman was divorced by his first wife last April.

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The Crepe Bonnet

Drama

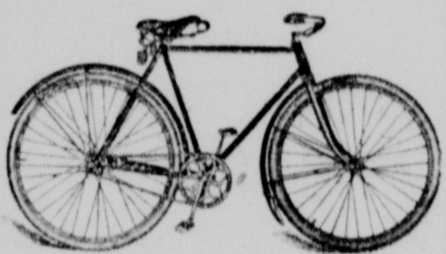
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